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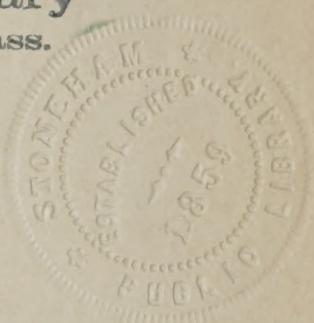
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Incorporated, December 24, 1725

Population, January 1, 1935, 10,841

Fifth Congressional District

Sixth Councillor District

Seventh Middlesex Senatorial District

Twenty-Second Middlesex Representative District

Representative in Congress

Edith Nourse Rogers, Lowell

Councillor

James J. Brennan, Somerville

Senator

Joseph R. Cotton, Lexington

Representatives

Mary Livermore Barrows, Melrose

Joseph A. Milano, Melrose

Annual Town Meeting and Election of Town Officers

First Monday in March

**Adjourned Town Meeting for the Consideration of Town
Business Second Monday in March at 7.30 P M**

TOWN OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

Moderator

Frederick P. Hanford

Selectmen

| | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------|
| Everett C. Hunt, Chairman | Term Expires | 1936 |
| Harry R. Dockam | " | " 1936 |
| Thomas E. Cahill | " | " 1936 |

Assessors

| | | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|--------|
| Lawrence E. Doucett | Term Expires | 1936 |
| Peter L. McCarty | " | " 1937 |
| John J. Kenney, Chairman | " | " 1938 |

Department of Public Welfare

| | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------|
| Charles E. Ames, Chairman | Term Expires | 1936 |
| Hugh A. Dougherty | " | " 1937 |
| Alton W. Estes | " | " 1938 |

Board of Health

| | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------|--------|
| Joseph H. Kerrigan, Chairman | Term Expires | 1936 |
| Lawrence E. Doucett | " | " 1937 |
| George A. Hinchcliffe | " | " 1938 |

School Committee

| | | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|--------|
| James J. Patch, Chairman | Term Expires | 1936 |
| Bertha A. Starr | " | " 1936 |
| Bernard (M. Scully | " | " 1937 |
| Nellie R. Storey | " | " 1937 |
| C. Frank Munger | " | " 1938 |

Park Commissioners

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------|
| Fred A. Schneider | Term Expires | 1936 |
| William F. Wilson, Chairman | " | " 1937 |
| Nicholas E. Apalakis | " | " 1938 |

Trustees of the Public Library

| | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------|--------|
| George A. Hinchcliffe | Term Expires | 1936 |
| Herbert H. Richardson | " | " 1936 |
| Edward H. Adzigan | " | " 1937 |
| Charles H. Chase, Chairman | " | " 1937 |
| George A. Packard | " | " 1938 |
| Alice V. Peyton | " | " 1938 |

Trustees of Lindenwood Cemetery

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------|
| Simeon C. Fuller | Term Expires | 1936 |
| Wilfred A. Smith | " | " 1937 |
| George R. Barnstead | " | " 1938 |
| Fred E. Nickerson, Chairman | " | " 1939 |
| Charles W. Messer | " | " 1940 |

Constables

| | | |
|--------------------------|--------------|------|
| H. Franklin Morey | Term Expires | 1936 |
| Robert H. Bradley | " " | 1936 |
| J. Clarence Nelson | " " | 1936 |

Town Clerk

| | | |
|-----------------------|--------------|------|
| Charles A. Owen | Term Expires | 1937 |
|-----------------------|--------------|------|

Treasurer and Collector

| | | |
|------------------------|--------------|------|
| Simeon C. Fuller | Term Expires | 1936 |
|------------------------|--------------|------|

Tree Warden

| | | |
|----------------------------|--------------|------|
| Percival H. Wardwell | Term Expires | 1936 |
|----------------------------|--------------|------|

Finance and Advisory Board

| | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|------|
| Ernest L. Place | Term Expires | 1936 |
| Charles E. Crosby | " " | 1936 |
| George E. Merrifield | " " | 1936 |
| Elizabeth G. Boyd | " " | 1937 |
| George P. Kimball | " " | 1937 |
| Almond H. Smith, Chairman | " " | 1937 |
| Donald J. Hurley | " " | 1938 |
| T. Arthur Pettengill | " " | 1938 |
| William S. Lister | " " | 1938 |

Planning Board

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|------|
| William F. Wilson, Chairman | Term Expires | 1936 |
| Albert P. Rounds | " " | 1936 |
| John J. Sullivan | " " | 1936 |
| George E. MacNeil, Jr. | " " | 1936 |
| William A. Garside | " " | 1937 |
| Ida G. Fitzgerald | " " | 1937 |
| John N. Kelly | " " | 1937 |
| Frederick P. Hanford | " " | 1937 |
| Ora Hill Bingham | " " | 1938 |
| Ruth H. Merrifield | " " | 1938 |
| Percival H. Wardwell | " " | 1938 |
| Theodore F. Moore | " " | 1938 |

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Town Counsel

LUTHER HILL

Town Accountant

CHARLES A. OWEN

Superintendent of Schools

CHARLES E. VARNEY

School Physician

NORMAN P. HERSAM, M. D.

Attendance Officer
HERBERT N. LOUIS
General Clerk
LILLIAN CHASE
Clerk — Selectmen's Office
EDNA L. TOLMAN
Treasurer's Clerk
CLARE P. PERRY
Assessors' Clerk
HARRY A. WILLIAMS
Agent — Board of Health
CHARLES A. OWEN
Health Officer
GEORGE A. HINCHCLIFFE
Inspector of Buildings and Wires
CHARLES BALDWIN
Inspector of Milk
GEOGRE A. HINCHCLIFFE
Collector of Milk Samples
LAWRENCE E. DOUCETT
Inspector of Plumbing
DAVID TAGGART
Inspector of Animals
WILLIAM H. ROLFE
Inspector of Slaughtering
WILLIAM H. ROLFE
Superintendent of Public Works
CORNELIUS J. SWEENEY
Sealer of Weights and Measures
J. ALGERNON FORBES
Superintendent of Moth Work
PERCIVAL H. WARDWELL
Superintendent of Infirmary
WILLIAM H. ROLFE
Matron of Infirmary
GERTRUDE ROLFE
Public Weigher
ARTHUR O. WHEELER
Burial Agent
CHARLES A. OWEN

Town Physician
JAMES BLENKHORN

Field Driver
JOHN C. NELSON

Pound Keeper
WILLIAM H. ROLFE

Board of Appeal

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|------|---------|------|
| Chester A. Richardson, Chairman | Term | Expires | 1936 |
| James G. Wallace | " | " | 1936 |
| Albert J. Blackburn | " | " | 1937 |
| Harry A. Williams | " | " | 1938 |
| Richard G. Waters | " | " | 1938 |

Registrars of Voters

| | | | |
|-----------------------------|------|---------|------------|
| Alice E. Fedigan | Term | Expires | 1936 |
| Daniel Cullinane, Chairman | " | " | 1937 |
| Fred A. Lawson | " | " | 1938 |
| Charles A. Owen, Town Clerk | | | Ex Officio |

Police Department

JOHN C. NELSON, Captain
JOHN G. O'BRIEN, Sergeant WILLIAM H. O'TOOLE, Sergeant

Patrolmen

| | |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| DENNIS L. MCKINNON | GEORGE E. JOHNSON |
| ANDREW J. TUNEY | THOMAS J. FLYNN |
| JOHN P. JUDGE | GEORGE J. McDONOUGH |
| R. HAROLD BRADLEY | ELLIS B. BRADSHAW |

Reserve Police Officers

| | |
|------------------|------------------|
| GEORGE N. SAVARD | JOHN G. McHALE |
| PETER F. O'TOOLE | WARREN H. BARNES |

Fire Department

WILLIAM F. McCALL, Chief Engineer
FRED L. NEWHALL, Assistant Chief Engineer

Permanent Men

| | |
|--------------------|------------------|
| HERBERT E. PLUMMER | RICHARD R. ERVIN |
| DANIEL W. POORE | JOSEPH TANSEY |
| WILLIAM J. PLUMMER | HENRY H. THORN |

Call Men

| | |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| CHARLES R. BREWER | FREDERICK E. SWEET |
| WILLIAM E. CROSBY | CHARLES WHITCHER |
| ERNEST S. FRAZIER | MILTON D. WHITCHER |
| JOSEPH W. HANNAFORD | HENRY J. CROSBY |
| ELMER E. NEWHALL | JOHN J. GRAHAM |
| EDWARD PERRY | JOHN L. KNIGHT |

| | |
|---|------------------------|
| HARRY POTTER | FRANK E. PARKS |
| FRED H. PETERSON | JOHN T. WALDEN |
| GEORGE WHITCHER | HERBERT WILLETT |
| RAYMOND L. STONE | JAMES McDERMOTT |
| WILFRED TYLER | |
| Fence Viewers | |
| THOMAS E. CAHILL | EVERETT C. HUNT |
| HARRY R. DOCKAM | |
| Janitor of Armory Hall | |
| GEORGE B. WILLIAMS | |
| Janitor of Town Officers | |
| EUGENE C. LEMOINE | |
| Committee on Town Office Building | |
| LUTHER HILL | FRANK J. GALLAGHER |
| EDWARD M. NOONAN | CHARLES A. OWEN |
| THOMAS E. MCKENNA | LEANDER V. COLAHAN |
| Public Works Employment Committee | |
| THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN | |
| THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE | |
| THE FINANCE AND ADVISORY BOARD | |
| Committee on Post Office Building | |
| EVERETT C. HUNT, Chairman | LUTHER HILL |
| ROSE K. COY | CHARLES E. AMES |
| JOHN J. SULLIVAN | |
| Committee on High School and Auditorium | |
| CHARLES F. BUCK | CHARLES H. CHASE |
| FRANK B. HAMILL | GEORGE E. MacNEIL, Sr. |
| THOMAS E. MCKENNA | |

TOWN OF STONEHAM — LIST OF JURORS

As Revised by the Selectmen 1935

Ahern, George F., Myrtle Street, Letter Carrier
Ames, Charles E., 55 Elm Street, Telephone Company
Anderson, Anders G., 15 Keene Street, Clerk
Anderson, John D., Jr., 4 Highland Avenue, Clerk
Baker, Rollo M., 22 Pomeworth Street, Accountant
Bell, Sidney A., 84 Summer Street, Salesman
Baldwin, Joseph J., 71 Pine Street, Pattern Maker
Bancroft, Wendell I., 1 Gould Street Court, Teamster
Barker, Fred A., 25 Keene Street, Accountant
Bell, George E., 198 Hancock Street, Hardware Dealer
Blackburn, Albert J., 30 South Street, Architect
Blinn, Joseph H., 122 Franklin Street, Electrician
Bockus, Earle C., 151 Central Street, Engineer
Bourgeau, Edward F., Jr., 17 Ledge Street, Garage
Breagy Fred J., 8 Cottage Street, Retired
Burbank, Charles G., 15 Marble Street, Clerk
Cahill, Thomas E., 33 Warren Street, Manager
Callahan, Patrick J., 16 Middle Street, Electrician
Chapman, Wilbur W., 86 Spring Street, Mineral Spring
Chase, Robert F., 35 Warren Street, Retired
Chase, William C., 12 Myrtle Street, Real Estate Agent
Clark, A. Duncan, 26 Wright Street, Salesman
Cody, John J., 23 Spring Street, Shoes
Corcoran, Michael F., 5 Myrtle Street, Salesman
Corcoran, Michael J., 44 Gould Street, Shoes
Dempsey, Alonzo H., 2 Oak Street, Chauffeur
Devlin, James M., 42 Spring Street, Plumber
Dewhurst, Dwight D., 75 Spring Street, Shoemaker
Dockam, Harry R., 13 Wright Street, Contractor
Dodge, Clyde R., 10 Perkins Street, Manager
Doherty, William C., 52 Summer Street, Contractor
Dorn, Elliott M., 23 Everett Street, Telephone
Evans, Charles W., 8 Cedar Avenue, Barber
Fallon, Joseph W., 303 Park Street, Student
Fiske, Wilbur W., 555 Main Street, Treasurer
Feeney, Edward J., 102 Franklin Street, Shoes
Foley, John, 30 Montvale Avenue, Shoes
Frost, Gordon A., 74 Pond Street, Retired
Fulton, James E., 18 Flint Avenue, Laboratory Worker
Gallagher, John H., 89 Washington Street, Clerk
Gay, Edward F., 45 Spring Street, Florist

Gay, William H., 18 Winthrop Street, Shoes
Gibbons, William C., 67 Pleasant Street, Auto Body Builder
Gile, William A., 113 Summer Street, Machinist
Graham, George G., 20 Cedar Avenue, Bank Clerk
Hamill, Frank B., 40 Wright Street, Retired
Hancock, Kenneth R., 150 Franklin Street, Printer
Hanson, Rogen I., 43 West Street, Salesman
Holden, Harold H., 19 Keene Street, Manager
Houston, Walter P., 7 Highland Avenue, Civil Engineer
Howes, Alwyne C., 45 Gould Street, Shoes
Hunt, Sumner L., 24A Congress Street, Telephone Inspector
Jenkins, Ralph A., 37 Chestnut Street, Salesman
Johnston, John, 109 Elm Street, Bank Clerk
Keating, William F., 9 Hancock Street, Tannery
Keenan, Joseph A., 3 Warren Street, Shoes
Kendall, Rufus W., 25 Keene Street, Salesman
Kenney, Arthur D., 65 Summer Street, Printer
Leavitt, Wallace A., 50 Wright Street, Retired
Lemoine, Eugene C., 70 Summer Street, Janitor
Libby, Herbert A., 135 Marble Street, Treasurer
MacNeil, George E., 1 Washington Court, Foreman
Mann, Ernest L., 17 Montvale Avenue, Foreman
McDonough, Martin F., 57 Pleasant Street, Shoes
McDonough, Martin F., 88 Summer Street, P. O. Clerk
McHale, James F., 35 Pond Street, Laborer
McHale, Paul V., 15 Avon Street, At Home
McKenna, Maurice H., 11 Hersam Street, Coal Dealer
McLaughlin, Daniel E., 125 Main Street, Clerk
McLaughlin, George B., 27 Summer Street, Auto Mechanic
McLaughlin, Henry P., 270 Main Street, Retired
Meehan, Peter P., 436 Main Street, Clerk
Meek, Herman A., 273 Main Street, Blacksmith
Morris, Humphrey A., 547 Main Street, Shipper
Moulton, Harry N., 9 Myrtle Street, Salesman
Mullaly, Martin A., 155 Franklin Street, Insurance
Nelson, Albert W., 23 Parkway Road, Salesman
Newcomb, Horace I., 116 Spring Street, Carpenter
Newcomb, Robert A., 337 Main Street, Contractor
Newhall, Arthur N., 50 Gould Street, Clerk
Newhall, Elmer E., 10 Pine Street, Chauffeur
Olsen, Carl C., 3 Everett Street, Carpenter
Parsons, Charles H., 12 Washington Street, Clerk
Patchett, Herbert J., 537 Main Street, Clerk
Poole, Charles H., 6 Vinton Court, Shoes
Quinlan, Charles T., 60 Pond Street, Painter

Reynolds, Frank J., 23 Myrtle Street, Bookkeeper
Reynolds, Michael J., 4 Everett Street, Foreman
Rice, Charles S., 602 Main Street, Builder
Rice, Herbert W., 3 Winthrop Street, Stock Clerk
Rogers, William N., 11 Peabody Road, Bookkeeper
Roscoe, Henry J., 149 Hancock Street, Upholsterer
Rounds, Albret P., 15 Wilson Road, Contractor
Rowe, Robert E., 47 Warren Street, Manager
Schneider, Fred A., 50 Broadway, Manager
Schumann, Harold C., 15 Pinewood Road, Insurance
Scully, Bernard M., 12 Flint Avenue, Salesman
Smith, Almond H., 217 Franklin Street, Income Tax Expert
Smith, Charles I., 17 Coolidge Street, Electrician
Starr, Walter N., 18 Everett Street, Bank Teller
Strail, Henry D., 23 Warren Street, Bank Teller
Sweeney, Cornelius J., Carroll Street, Street Superintendent
Thompson, Joseph C., 14 Brackett Avenue, Barber
Tucker, J. Carroll, 17 Butler Avenue, Electrical Engineer
Wallace, James G., 11 Lincoln Street, Salesman

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Town Meeting, Monday, March 4, 1935

Agreeable to a Warrant signed by the Selectmen February 12, 1935, the inhabitants of the Town of Stoneham, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, met in Armory Hall in said town on Monday, March 4, 1935, at seven o'clock in the forenoon.

The meeting was called to order by Moderator, Frederick P. Hanford, and the Warrant read.

The Tellers appointed by the Selectmen, as required by law, were sworn by the Town Clerk.

BALLOT CLERKS

Republicans — Charles H. Parsons, Donald J. Morrison.

Democrats — Harry W. Delano, Arthur J. Dufresne

TELLERS

Republicans — Henry D. Strail, Winthrop A. McCarthy, Bessie M. Lund, Bertha C. Moulton, Helen M. French, Alice R. Worthen, Lillian R. Gorham.

John F. Murphy, Elizabeth G. Devlin, Helen M. Barry, Margaret M. Hanright, Mary F. Dever, Mary A. McDonough, Marie M. Burns.

The ballots were given to the Ballot Clerks, a receipt taken from them for the same, the ballot boxes were opened and examined, the registers set at 0, locked, and the keys given to the Moderator, after which the polls were declared open.

The Moderator appointed as additional tellers to assort and count ballots, the following, who were sworn by the Town Clerk:

Republicans — Margaret Butler, Clyde R. Dodge, Joseph A. Keenan, Annie S. Kinsley, Adelaide W. Lister, Gordon F. May, Herbert W. Rice, Nellie R. Storey, Ralph W. Tolman.

Democrats — Catherine W. Ahern, Annie L. Cody, Paul V. McHale, Mary A. K. Hamill, Marion G. McDonough, Peter P. Meehan, Elizabeth A. Reynolds, Edward M. Sheridan, Florence E. Tole.

By unanimous consent of the Moderator and Town Clerk the ballot boxes were opened and ballots taken therefrom for the purpose of counting.

The tellers appointed to assort and count ballots were divided into groups of four, two Republicans and two Democrats in each group.

At eight o'clock in the evening the polls were declared closed at which time the ballot box No. 1 registered 1204 and the ballot box No. 2 registered 1520 as ascertained by the Town Clerk.

The check lists at the gates had the names of 2722 as having received ballots.

The check lists at the ballot boxes had the names of 2722 persons checked as having voted.

The number of unused ballots returned to the Town Clerk was 2338.

The number of ballots taken from the ballot boxes, as counted by the Moderator was 2722.

All the ballots cast having been sorted and counted by the tellers, the blocks of ballots sealed, the total tally sheets proved and signed in accordance with the law, declaration of the vote was made as follows:

BALLOTS CAST

| | |
|---|------|
| Two Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty-two | 2722 |
|---|------|

Moderator

| | |
|---|------|
| Frederick P. Hanford, 44 Broadway | |
| had One thousand eight hundred twelve | 1812 |

Blanks

| | |
|------------------------|-----|
| Nine hundred ten | 910 |
|------------------------|-----|

Frederick P. Hanford, having received the highest number of all votes cast for Moderator, was declared elected for one year.

Selectmen

| | |
|---|------|
| Thomas E. Cahill, 33 Warren Street | |
| had One thousand three hundred ninety-eight | 1398 |

| | |
|---|------|
| Harry R. Dockam, 13 Wright Street | |
| had One thousand four hundred sixty-seven | 1467 |

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|--|-----|
| William C. Gibbons, 67 Pleasant Street | |
| had Six hundred sixty-nine | 669 |

| | |
|---|------|
| Everett C. Hunt, 25 Wilson Road | |
| had One thousand four hundred ninety-four | 1494 |

| | |
|------------------------------------|-----|
| Arthur D. Kenney, 65 Summer Street | |
| had Nine hundred sixty | 960 |

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----|
| James O'Grady, 4 Fuller Street | |
| had Four hundred eighty-eight | 488 |

| | |
|---------------|---|
| Arthur Green | |
| had One | 1 |

| | |
|--|------|
| Blanks | |
| One thousand six hundred eighty-nine | 1689 |

Thomas E. Cahill, Harry R. Dockam and Everett C. Hunt, having received the three highest numbers of all the votes cast for Selectmen, were declared elected for one year.

Town Treasurer — One Year

| | |
|---------------------------------------|------|
| Simeon C. Fuller, 32 Pomeworth Street | |
| had Two thousand nine | 2009 |

| | |
|------------------------------|-----|
| Blanks | |
| Seven hundred thirteen | 713 |

Simeon C. Fuller, having received all the votes cast for Treasurer, was declared elected for one year.

Tax Collector — One Year

| | |
|--|------|
| Simeon C. Fuller, 32 Pomeworth Street | |
| had One thousand nine hundred fifty-nine | 1959 |
| Blanks | |
| Seven hundred sixty-three | 763 |
| Simeon C. Fuller, having received all the votes cast for Tax Collector, was declared elected for one year. | |

Assessors — Three Years

| | |
|--|------|
| Loring W. Blanchard, 48 Elm Street | |
| had One thousand one hundred seventy-one | 1171 |
| John J. Kenney, 67 Summer Street | |
| had One thousand three hundred eighty-nine | 1389 |
| Arthur Green | |
| had One | 1 |
| Blanks | |
| One hundred sixty-one | 161 |
| John J. Kenney, having received the highest number of all the votes cast for Assessor, was declared elected for three years. | |

Board of Public Welfare — Three Years

| | |
|---|------|
| Walter Raymond Burns, 546 Main Street | |
| had Five hundred eighty-four | 584 |
| Alton W. Estes, 74 Marble Street | |
| had One thousand three hundred thirty-eight | 1338 |
| Joseph C. Thompson, 14 Brackett Avenue | |
| had Five hundred nine | 509 |
| Blanks | |
| Two hundred ninety-one | 291 |
| Alton W. Estes, having received the highest number of all the votes cast for Board of Public Welfare, was declared elected for three years. | |

Constable — One Year

| | |
|---|------|
| Robert H. Bradley, 4 Spring Lane | |
| had One thousand six hundred seventy-three | 1673 |
| H. Franklin Morey, 17 Waverly Street | |
| had One thousand six hundred twenty-seven | 1627 |
| J. Clarence Nelson, 93 Main Street | |
| had One thousand eight hundred forty-eight | 1848 |
| Blanks | |
| Three thousand eighteen | 3018 |
| Robert H. Bradley, H. Franklin Morey and J. Clarence Nelson, having received the three highest numbers of all the votes cast for Constable, were declared elected for one year. | |

Board of Health — Three Years

| | |
|---------------------------------------|------|
| George A. Hinchcliffe, 10 East Street | 2018 |
| had Two thousand eighteen | |

| | |
|----------------|---|
| Paul K. Storey | 1 |
| had One | |

| | |
|---------------------------|-----|
| Blanks | |
| Seven hundred three | 703 |

George A. Hinchcliffe, having received the highest number of all the votes cast for Board of Health, was declared elected for three years.

School Committee — Three Years

| | |
|---|------|
| C. Frank Munger, 114 Centrel Street | 1929 |
| had One thousand nine hundred twenty-nine | |

| | |
|----------------------------------|-----|
| Blanks | |
| Seven hundred ninety-three | 793 |

C. Frank Munger, having received all the votes cast for School Committee, was declared elected for three years.

Tree Warden — One Year

| | |
|--------------------------------------|------|
| Percival H. Wardwell, 52 High Street | 2051 |
| had Two thousand fifty-one | |

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|-------------------------------|-----|
| Blanks | |
| Six hundred seventy-one | 671 |

Percival H. Wardwell, having received the highest number of all the votes cast for Tree Warden, was declared elected for one year.

Park Commissioner — One Year

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----|
| William J. Mara, 79 Franklin Street | 925 |
| had Nine hundred twenty-five | |

| | |
|--|------|
| Fred A. Schneider, 50 Broadway | 1276 |
| had One thousand two hundred seventy-six | |

| | |
|-------------------------------|-----|
| Blanks | |
| Five hundred twenty-one | 521 |

Fred A. Schneider, having received the highest number of all the votes cast for Park Commissioner, was declared elected for one year.

Park Commissioner — Three Years

| | |
|---|------|
| Nicholas E. Apalakis, 16 Gerry Street | 1902 |
| had One thousand nine hundred two | |

| | |
|----------------------------|-----|
| Blanks | |
| Eight hundred twenty | 820 |

Nicholas E. Apalakis, having received all the votes cast for Park Commissioner, was declared elected for three years.

Trustees of Public Library — Three Years

| | |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| George A. Packard, 45 Pleasant Street | |
|---------------------------------------|--|

had One thousand eight hundred seventeen 1817
Alice V. Peyton, 166 Hancock Street

had One thousand six hundred fifty-five 1655
Blanks

One thousand nine hundred seventy-two 1972

George A. Packard and Alice V Peyton, having received the two highest numbers of all the votes cast for Trustees of Public Library, were declared elected for three years.

Trustees Lindenwood Cemetery — Five Years

Charles W. Messer, 356 Main Street

had One thousand nine hundred forty-three 1943

Blanks

Seven hundred seventy-nine 779

Charles W. Messer, having received all the votes cast for Trustee Lindenwood Cemetery, was declared elected for five years.

Voted: That the Moderator appoint a committee of three to nominate members of the Planning Board.

All the requirements of the law having been complied with it was voted to adjourn to meet in Armory Hall at 7:30 in the evening, Monday, March 11, 1935.

Adjourned Town Meeting, Monday, March 11, 1935

In accordance with the vote of adjournment passed March 4, 1935, the inhabitants of the Town of Stoneham, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, met in Armory Hall on Monday, March 11, 1935 at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening.

The Moderator appointed as Tellers to check the names of those entering the hall: Herbert Patchett, Charles H. Parsons, Donald J. Morrison, Helen M. Barry, Margaret M. Hanright, Mary F. Dever, Adelaide W. Lister, Peter P. Meehan, who were sworn by the Town Clerk. The check lists showed that Seven Hundred and Eighty-two voters entered the hall.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Frederick P. Hanford, who declared a quorum present.

Article 2. To choose all other necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

Voted: That the Selectmen be authorized to appoint all other necessary Town Officers, whose appointment is not otherwise provided for by law.

Article 3. To hear the reports of Town Officers and Committees and to act thereon and to choose committees.

Voted: That the reports of Town Officers and Committees, not otherwise acted upon, be accepted as printed in the Annual Town Report for 1934.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO NOMINATE MEMBERS OF THE PLANNING BOARD

The committee appointed by the Moderator March the fifth to nominate four members of the Planning Board submit the following names: Ora Hill Bingham, Ruth H. Merrifield, Percival H. Wardwell, Theodore F. Moore.

Frances R. Nickerson,
Charles G. Burbank,
Dr. Frank E. Harris,

Committee

Voted: That Ora Hill Bingham, Ruth H. Merrifield, Percival H. Wardwell and Theodore F. Moore serve as members of the Planning Board for a term of three years.

The Selectmen offered the following report on Street Lighting:

Under Article 11 of the Annual Town Meeting, held March 12th, 1934 it was voted to resume all night street lighting. It was the sense of the meeting that this be accomplished by the Selectmen within the appropriation already voted. The Selectmen appointed a Committee, consisting of Patrick J. Callahan, Pender S. Humphrey, Charles Baldwin, Edward S. Strobel and Ralph A. Jenkins to make a study and report to the Board. Under date of Feb. 9, 1935, this Committee rendered a very complete report, which is printed on pages 152 to 158 of the Town report. The Board recommends a thorough study of this report by all citizens. The Committee has consulted with the Finance Board and the Selectmen on the matter of appropriation for the year 1935. In view of the fact that two months of the year have already passed and that it will require sometime to hold public hearings and make the changes, your Board recommends that the appropriation for street lighting as recommended by the Finance and Advisory Board under Article 4 of this warrant, be appropriated. We believe that approximately this amount will be needed to make the changes and pay for all night lighting if it is put into effect immediately.

Voted: To accept the above report.

On motion of Mr. Wardwell, Chairman of the Committee on Swimming Pool the following resolution was unanimously adopted.

Voted: that it be the sentiment of the citizens of the Town of Stoneham that the Representatives to the General Court be asked to file a bill authorizing the Metropolitan District Commission to construct and maintain a bathing pool and bath house at Dark Hollow Pond, this to be done at no direct expense to the Town of Stoneham.

Mr. Sullivan, Chairman of the Planning Board presented the following resolution which was unanimously adopted:

Voted: That it is the unanimous sentiment of the Voters of the Town of Stoneham, in Town Meeting assembled, this 11th day of March 1935, that our Representative, the Hon. Edith Nourse Rogers, be and hereby is petitioned to exercise her influence to obtain for the Town of Stoneham a new Post Office building, site for the building to be given by the Town of Stoneham to the Federal Government, and that a Committee of Five be appointed by the Moderator to co-operate with Representative Rogers and the Federal Government and report to the next Town Meeting with a recommendation for the location of said building.

Article 4. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and to make appropriations for the same.

The recommendations of the Finance and Advisory Board were laid before the meeting.

Mr. Lister, Secretary of the Finance and Advisory Board, moved that the sum of \$23,269.50 be appropriated for General Government as recommended by the Finance and Advisory Board.

Mr. Munger of the School Committee moved that the appropriations for Schools and Library be now considered.

Mr. Munger's motion prevailed; thereupon, Mr. Lister moved that the sum of \$159,023.00 be appropriated for Schools and Library in accordance with the recommendations of the Finance and Advisory Board.

Mr. Munger then offered a motion to amend the appropriation for General School appropriations by adding \$2,600.00 to the amount recommended by the Finance and Advisory Board, making said sum \$151,673.00. It was then voted that the sum \$154,173.00 be appropriated as follows:

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| Schools, General | \$151,673.00 |
| Americanization School | 500.00 |
| Trade Schools | 2,000.00 |
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| | \$154,173.00 |

On motion of Mr. Adzigan it was voted that the appropriation for the Public Library as recommended by the Finance and Advisory Board be increased from \$7,450.00 to \$7,525.00.

It was then voted that the amount of \$161,698.00 be appropriated for Schools and Library as follows:

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| Schools, General | \$151,673.00 |
| Americanization School | 500.00 |
| Trade Schools | 2,000.00 |
| Public Library | 7,525.00 |
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| | \$161,698.00 |

Mr. Lister moved that the sum of \$23,269.50 be appropriated for General Government in accordance with the recommendations of the Finance and Advisory Board.

On motion of Mr. Newhall this amount was amended to read \$23,525.99. It was then voted that the sum of \$23,525.99 be appropriated for General Government as follows:

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| Moderator | \$ 25.00 |
| Selectmen's Salaries | 275.00 |
| Selectmen, Miscellaneous Fund | 1,765.00 |
| Accounting Department | 1,687.50 |
| Treasurer and Collector, Salary | 2,187.50 |
| Treasurer and Collector, Expenses | 2,643.00 |
| Treasurer and Collector, Bonds | 655.50 |
| Assessors' Salaries | 1,100.00 |
| Assessors' Clerk | 1,466.66 |
| Assistant Assessors | 275.00 |
| Assessors' Expenses | 500.00 |
| Street Lists | 500.00 |
| Other Finance Accounts | 100.00 |
| Law Department | 1,320.00 |
| Town Clerk, Salary | 962.50 |
| Town Clerk, Expenses | 150.00 |
| Elections and Registration | 1,550.00 |
| General Clerk Hire | 953.33 |
| Finance and Advisory Board | 50.00 |
| Board of Appeal | 100.00 |
| Planning Board | 50.00 |
| Municipal Offices | 3,000.00 |
| Armory Hall | 2,210.00 |
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| | \$23,525.99 |

Mr. Lister moved that the sum of \$58,767.34 be appropriated for Protection of Persons and Property.

On motion of Mr. Newhall this amount was amended to read \$59,862.00. It was then voted that the sum of \$59,862.00 be appropriated for Protection of Persons and Property as follows:

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| Police Department | \$ 25,404.00 |
| Fire Department | 20,378.00 |
| Hydrant Service | 5,000.00 |
| Rifle Practice | 800.00 |
| Sealing of Weights and Measures | 300.00 |
| Inspection of Buildings | 940.00 |
| Inspection of Wires | 635.00 |
| Moth Suppression | 4,550.00 |

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| Tree Warden Salary | 435.00 |
| Shade Trees | 1,420.00 |
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| | \$59,862.00 |

Mr. Lister moved that the sum of \$21,985.00 be appropriated for Health and Sanitation.

On motion of Mr. Newhall this amount was amended to read \$22,115.00. It was then voted that the sum of \$22,115.00 be appropriated for Health and Sanitation as follows:

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| Board of Health, Salaries | \$ 275.00 |
| Board of Health, General | 5,585.00 |
| Vital Statistics | 100.00 |
| Health Officer | 1,650.00 |
| Dental Clinic | 1,100.00 |
| Board of Health Nurse | 910.00 |
| Sewer Maintenance | 4,560.00 |
| Sewer Services | 1,000.00 |
| Sewer Construction, General | 1,500.00 |
| Care of Dump | 720.00 |
| Disposal of Ashes | 2,700.00 |
| Disposal of Garbage | 1,800.00 |
| Miscellaneous Ashes and Garbage | 30.00 |
| Comfort Station | 185.00 |
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| | \$22,115.00 |

Mr. Lister moved that the sum of \$63,445.00 be appropriated for Highways.

On motion of Mr. Newhall this amount was amended to read \$63,830.00. It was then voted that the sum of \$63,830.00 be appropriated for Highways as follows:

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| Highways, General | \$ 32,495.00 |
| Sidewalks and Edgestones | 3,000.00 |
| Snow and Ice | 12,425.00 |
| Traffic Signs and Beacons | 1,410.00 |
| Street Railings | 500.00 |
| Street Lighting | 14,000.00 |
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\$63,830.00

Mr. Lister moved that the sum of \$75,859.50 be appropriated for Charities and Soldiers' Benefits.

On motion of Mr. Ames of the Board of Public Welfare this amount was amended to read \$76,201.25.

It was then voted that the sum of \$76,201.25 be appropriated for Charities and Soldiers' Benefits as follows:

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| Board of Public Welfare, Salaries | \$ 275.00 |
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| Board of Public Welfare, Administration | 300.00 |
| Board of Public Welfare, Clerk | 672.75 |
| Board of Public Welfare, Investigator | 1,250.16 |
| Town Physician | 750.00 |
| Outside Relief | 36,190.00 |
| Infirmary | 7,518.34 |
| Old Age Assistance | 18,000.00 |
| Old Age Assistance, Investigator Salary and Expenses | 455.00 |
| Old Age Assistance, Clerk | 260.00 |
| Old Age Assistance, Office Expenses | 30.00 |
| State and Military Aid | 2,500.00 |
| Soldiers' Relief | 8,000.00 |

\$76,201.25

Mr. Lister moved that the sum of \$10,909.45 be appropriated for Recreation and Unclassified.

Mr. Wilson of the Park Commission moved to amend the amount for Parks and Playgrounds so as to read \$2,470.00. This amendment was adopted Yes 307; No 228.

It was then voted that the sum of \$11,909.45 be appropriated for Recreation and Unclassified as follows:

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| Parks and Playgrounds | \$ 2,470.00 |
| Damage Claims | 1,000.00 |
| Memorial Day | 600.00 |
| Care of Soldiers' Graves | 250.00 |
| Rent of Veterans' Quarters | 800.00 |
| Fire Insurance | 3,000.00 |
| Automobile Insurance | 1,000.00 |
| Town Reports and Finance Committee's Report | 800.00 |
| Pensions | 1,003.75 |
| Taxes on Town Property | 785.70 |
| Travel Outside State | 200.00 |

\$11,909.45

Mr. Lister moved that the sum of \$25,475.00 be appropriated for Enterprises and Cemeteries.

Mr. Newhall moved to amend the amount for Enterprises and Cemeteries so as to read \$25,750.00.

It was then voted that the sum of \$25,750.00 be appropriated for Enterprises and Cemeteries as follows:

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| Water Maintenance | \$ 16,300.00 |
| Water Services | 2,000.00 |
| Water Mains Extensions | 2,500.00 |
| Lindenwood Cemetery | 3,875.00 |
| Pleasant Street Cemetery | 100.00 |

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| Town Scales | 75.00 |
| Care of Civic Center Property | 900.00 |
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| | \$25,750.00 |

On motion of Mr. Lister it was voted to appropriate the sum of \$81,500.00 for Interest and Maturing Debt as follows:

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| Interest | \$ 19,000.00 |
| Maturing Debt | 62,500.00 |
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| | \$81,500.00 |

Voted: That the foregoing sums, appropriated for town charges, amounting to \$526,391.69 be raised as follows:

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| From the levy of the current year | \$507,891.69 |
| From excess and deficiency account | 16,000.00 |
| From proceeds of water loan | 2,500.00 |
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| | \$526,391.69 |

Voted: That the sum of \$10,000.00 be raised and appropriated as a Reserve Fund.

Voted: That from the several appropriations allocated to the Public Works Department, there be segregated a total sum of \$20,000.00, said sum to be used as wages to be paid unemployed persons under the direction of a committee who shall fix the rate of pay, said committee to consist of the Board of Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare, Finance and Advisory Board.

Article 3. On motion of Mr. Newhall, it was voted that the following committee be appointed to expend the appropriation for Memorial Day: G. A. R.—George E. Kenson, Rodman F. Davis, Henry D. Wallace, Joseph A. Moulton; U. S. W. V.—Clark D. Whiteman, George B. Williams, Arthur N. Newhall, Herbert F. Campbell, John D. MacMullen, Michael P. Doherty; A. L.—Arthur F. Callbeck, Clyde W. Carter, William S. Coy, Edmund Kelley, Ernest L. Mann, C. Earl Sylvester.

Adjourned at 10.00 o'clock to meet in Armory Hall, Monday evening, March 18, 1935 at 7.30 o'clock.

ADJOURNED TOWN MEETING, MONDAY, MARCH 18, 1935

In accordance with the vote of adjournment passed March 11, 1935, the inhabitants of the Town of Stoneham, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, met in Armory Hall on Monday, March 18, 1935, at seven-thirty o'clock in the evening.

The Tellers appointed by the Moderator at the previous meeting served at the check lists. The check lists showed that Five Hundred and Seventy-one voters entered the hall.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Frederick P. Hanford who declared a quorum present.

Mr. Colahan offered the following resolution which was adopted: RESOLVED that the Town Counsel be instructed to insert an article in the next Town Warrant calling for the election of members of the Finance Committee by the voters at the town meeting. It is the intent of the resolution that nominations be brought in by a committee, appointed by the Moderator.

Mr. Dockam in behalf of the Stoneham Board of Trade offered the following resolution which was adopted: BE IT RESOLVED —That it be the sense of this meeting that the elected and appointed officials of the Town of Stoneham co-operate with and support the Stoneham Board of Trade in their efforts to establish uniform closing hours in the retail establishments of the Town.

Mr. Detheridge offered the following resolution: BE IT RESOLVED—That it be the sense of this meeting that the Board of Selectmen set the rate of pay for the so-called Unemployed Laborers employed by the Town of Stoneham at 50 cents per hour to be put into effect on the first day of April, 1935. This resolution was amended by inserting after the word Selectmen, the words "Board of Public Welfare and Finance and Advisory Board" so as to read: BE IT RESOLVED, that it be the sense of this meeting that the Board of Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare and Finance and Advisory Board set the rate of pay for the so-called Unemployed Laborers employed by the Town of Stoneham at 50 cents per hour to be put into effect on the first day of April, 1935. The resolution, as amended, was then adopted.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1935, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Voted: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is, authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1935, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money for general municipal purposes under authority of and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 49, of the Acts of 1933, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the Treasurer, with the approval of the Select-

men, be and hereby is authorized to borrow for general maintenance expenses of the Town the sum of \$5,000.00, but in no event a sum in excess of the amount of tax titles taken or held by the Town, and to issue a note or notes of the Town therefor, all in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 49 of the Acts of 1933. The Assessors are authorized to use the amount received as available funds in fixing the tax rate. Unanimous.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to purchase one or more parcels of land to be used as a public dump or dumps, raise and appropriate money therefor or do anything in relation thereto.

Voted: That the sum of \$800.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase of one or more parcels of land to be used as a public dump or dumps and that the Board of Selectmen have authority to purchase such parcel or parcels of land provided said purchase is approved by a joint committee consisting of the Board of Selectmen, Board of Health and the Finance and Advisory Board.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to issue and sell, from time to time, as occasion requires, town notes, bonds, or other evidences of indebtedness, for the purpose of defraying the cost of extending water mains or relaying water mains within the limits of the Town, to an amount not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00), pass any vote or votes relative thereto, or do anything in relation to the same.

Voted: That the Town Treasurer be and hereby is authorized to issue and sell from time to time, as occasion requires, with the approval of the Selectmen, Town Notes for the purpose of defraying the cost of extending and relaying water mains within the limits of the Town, to an amount not exceeding \$25,000.00, said issue to be made under provisions of Section 8, Chapter 44, of the General Laws and amendments thereto. Unanimous.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to grant free use of Armory Hall to Veterans organizations and to organizations of a community nature.

Voted: That the Selectmen be authorized to grant the free use of Armory Hall to Veterans' organizations and to organizations of a community nature.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to pay the rent of quarters or to lease quarters for the use of J. P. Gould Post No. 75, G. A. R.; Leon E. Warren Camp 31, U. S. W. V.; Stoneham Post No. 115, American Legion, raise and appropriate money therefor or do anything in relation thereto.

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed as an appropriation has been made for this purpose under Article 4.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Health to appoint one of its Board members, Health Officer and Milk Inspector and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Voted: That the Town do authorize the Board of Health to appoint its Secretary or any other of its Board members, Health Officer, at a salary of \$1,650.00 as appropriated under Article 4.

Voted: That the Health Officer act as Milk Inspector at no additional salary.

Article 12. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum sufficient to pay the County of Middlesex as required by law on account of assessments levied on the Town for its share of the principal of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital Funding Loan, Acts of 1932 bonds maturing in 1935, issued in compliance with Chapter 10, Acts of 1932; also for any other indebtedness incurred and outstanding under said Chapter 10; also for the Town's share of the cost and interest on said bonds due in 1935; also for the care, maintenance, and repair of said hospital for 1934, and including interest on temporary notes issued therefor in accordance with sections of Chapter 111 of the General Laws applicable thereto, and for all other expenses in connection therewith, determine how money shall be raised, or in any way act thereon.

Voted: That the sum of \$5,000.00, this being the Town's share of the principal of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital Funding Loan, Acts of 1932 bonds maturing in 1935, be and the same is hereby appropriated, and that a further sum of \$531.25 be and hereby is appropriated on account of interest and other charges on account thereof. That a further sum of \$1,920.50 be and hereby is appropriated for the Town's share of the net cost of care, maintenance, and repairs of the Middlesex County Hospital, including interest on temporary notes issued therefor, in accordance with sections of Chapter 111 of the General Laws applicable thereto, the total sum of \$7,451.75 to be raised in the levy of the current year.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Christmas lighting, appoint a committee to expend such sum or do anything in relation thereto. (Planning Board).

Voted: That the sum of \$300.00 be raised and appropriated for Christmas lighting, said sum to be expended by a committee consisting of Chairman of Planning Board, Wire Inspector and Charles E. Crosby.

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to be used for the purchase of materials,

appliances, truck hire and other expenses in connection with Federal Aid projects. (Selectmen).

Voted: That the sum of \$10,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase of materials, appliances, truck hire and other expenses in connection with Federal Aid projects, said sum to be expended by a committee consisting of Board of Selectmen and Finance and Advisory Board.

Article 15. (a) To see if the Town will vote to accept Section 13A of Chapter 40, General Laws, (Workmen's Compensation). (b) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to establish and maintain an insurance fund to pay Workmen's Compensation, from which any compensation payable under the provisions of Section 69 to 75 inclusive of Chapter 152, General Laws, shall be paid. (Taxpayers' Association).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum not exceeding One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) to pay the Estate of Annie F. Doherty for an easement given in the year 1915 for laying a common sewer through the land of said Annie F. Doherty. (James J. McDonald).

Mr. Lister for the Finance and Advisory Board moved that the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed. This motion was lost. It was then voted: That the sum of \$100.00 be raised and appropriated to pay the Estate of Annie F. Doherty for an easement given in the year 1915 for laying a common sewer through the land of said Annie F. Doherty.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay E. L. Patch Company for damages caused to its sprinkler system in the year 1933. (Selectmen).

Voted: That the sum of \$902.64 be raised and appropriated to pay E. L. Patch Company for damages caused to its sprinkler system in the year 1933.

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay for the installation of traffic signals at the junction of Main Street and Hancock Street or do anything in relation thereto. (Captain of Police).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the installation of a fire alarm box at or near the junction of Spring Street and East Street or do anything in relation thereto. (Residents of district).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to reconstruct the Fire Alarm System, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do anything in relation thereto. (Fire Department).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the addition of two police patrol boxes to the present police signal system or do anything in relation thereto. (Captain of Police).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a motorcycle for the Police Department and authorize said department to sell or turn in one motorcycle now on hand or do anything in relation thereto. (Captain of Police).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the installation of a teletypewriter in the Police Department or do anything in relation thereto. (Captain of Police).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a sprayer for moth work or do anything in relation thereto. (Supt. of Moth Work).

Voted: That the sum of \$390.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase of a sprayer for moth work.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a truck for the Moth Department or do anything in relation thereto. (Supt. of Moth Work).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the building of steps, landscaping and loaming on the Pomeworth Street Playground or do anything in relation thereto. (Park Commissioners).

Voted: That the sum of \$750.00 be raised and appropriated for the building of steps, landscaping and loaming on the Pomeworth Street Playground.

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a truck for the Infir-

ary and authorize the disposal of truck now on hand or do anything in relation thereto. (Board of Public Welfare).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay for police service at school athletic contests or do anything in relation thereto. (School Dept.).

Voted: That the sum of \$150.00 be raised and appropriated to pay for police service at school athletic contests.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a compressor for the Public Works Department or do anything in relation thereto. (Supt. Public Works).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a road grader and snow plow for the Public Works Department or do anything in relation thereto. (Supt. Public Works).

Voted: That the sum of \$3,200.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase of a road grader and snow plow, said sum to be expended by a committee consisting of T. Arthur Pettengill, Chairman Board of Selectmen, Superintendent Public Works, Clyde R. Dodge, and Howard S. Palmer.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a three-ton truck for the Public Works Department or do anything in relation thereto. (Supt. Public Works).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of two sidewalk tractors for the Public Works Department or do anything in relation thereto. (Supt. Public Works).

Voted: That the sum of \$1,750.00 be raised and appropriated for the purchase of one sidewalk tractor, said sum to be expended under a committee consisting of T. Arthur Pettengill, Chairman Board of Selectmen, Superintendent Public Works, Clyde R. Dodge and Howard S. Palmer.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for relocation and specific repairs on Green Street as ordered by County Commissioners or do anything in relation thereto. (Residents of Green Street).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the construction of a drain from Main Street through the property of Russell H. Lynn and others to a point near the property of the Bear Hill Golf Club or do anything in relation thereto. (A. C. Farr and others).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to re-lay the water main in Pond Street between Franklin Street and Summer Street, raise and appropriate money therefor by the sale of notes, bonds or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. (Supt. Public Works).

Voted: That the consideration of this article be postponed until Article 41 shall have been disposed of.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to construct a sewer in and through Perkins Street from Orris Street, so-called, to Newcomb Road, so-called, raise and appropriate money by the sale of notes, bonds or otherwise or do anything in relation thereto. (Charles C. Doyle).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to construct a sewer in and through Royal Street throughout its entire length or any part thereof, raise and appropriate money by the sale of notes, bonds or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. (Charles Caswell).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 38. (a) To see if the Town will vote to accept as a public way, Royal Street, as laid out by the Board of Survey. (b) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the surfacing of Royal Street under the laws relating to the assessment of betterments or otherwise or do anything in relation thereto. (Charles Caswell).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the erection of a backstop on the Pomerowth Street Playground or do anything in relation thereto. (Park Commissioners).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to resurface William Street throughout its entire length, or any part thereof, raise and appropriate money therefor by the sale of notes, bonds or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. (Selectmen).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to resurface Pond Street throughout its entire length, or any part thereof, raise and appropriate money therefor by the sale of notes, bonds or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. (Selectmen).

Voted: That the Town do resurface Pond Street throughout its entire length or such part thereof as may be done within the appropriation and sums allotted by the State and County.

Voted: That for the purpose of resurfacing Pond Street as voted under this article, the sum of \$12,000.00 be appropriated, said sum to be expended in conjunction with sums allotted by the Division of Highways or the County Commissioners or both; and that, to meet said appropriation there be raised in the levy of the current year the sum of \$4,000.00, and the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$8,000.00 and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor, said bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than five years from the date of issue of the first bond or note or at such earlier dates as the Treasurer and Selectmen may determine. Unanimous.

Article 35. Voted: That the Town do relay the water main in Pond Street between Franklin Street and Summer Street provided that said street is resurfaced and that the sum of \$3,900.00 be appropriated therefor from the proceeds of the water loan authorized under Article 8 of this Warrant.

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by adding at the end of the first paragraph of Section 7A of Article 1, the following: "Beginning at the most northerly corner on William Street and running southeasterly by William Street 93.28 feet; southerly by Central Street 128.95 feet; westerly by land now or formerly of Rebecca J. Beard et als 94.95 feet; northerly by Main Street 178.35 feet; northeasterly 5.9 feet to beginning," so that said paragraph will read:

"No Public Garage, Automobile Repair Shop, Greasing Station, Storage Battery Service Station or Gasoline Selling Station, or any of their appurtenances or accessory uses, shall hereafter be erected or placed within fifty feet on the street line of any Residence District. No driveway to such premises shall be in any part within fifty feet of any Residence District. No such Public Garage, Automobile Repair Shop, Greasing Station, Storage Battery Service Station, or Gasoline Selling Station, or any of their appurtenances or accessory uses, shall have any entrance or exit for motor vehicles within three hundred feet of the property used by

any public or private school having more than twenty-five pupils, public library, church, playground, or institution for the sick, dependent, or for children under sixteen years of age having provision for not less than ten inmates, excepting the following described areas: Beginning at the northeasterly corner of Main Street and Hancock Street and thence running northerly by and along the easterly side of Main Street one hundred sixty-two (162) feet; thence easterly one hundred fourteen (114) feet; thence southerly one hundred sixty-six (166) feet to the northerly side of Hancock Street; thence westerly by and along the northerly side of Hancock Street ninety-nine and six tenths (99.6) feet to the point of beginning; also beginning at the most northerly corner of William Street and running southeasterly by William Street 93.28 feet; southerly by Central Street 128.95 feet; westerly by land now or formerly of Rebecca J. Beard et als 94.95 feet; northerly by Main Street 178.35 feet; northeasterly 5.9 feet to point of beginning. (Annie H. Candage).

Mr. George E. MacNeil, Jr., offered a motion that the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed. This motion was lost. It was then voted: That the Town do amend the Zoning By-Law by adding at the end of the first paragraph of Section 7A, Article 1, the following: "Beginning at the most northerly corner on William Street and running southeasterly by William Street 93.28 feet; southerly by Central Street 128.95 feet; westerly by land now or formerly of Rebecca J. Beard et als 94.95 feet; northerly by Main Street 178.35 feet; northeasterly 5.9 feet to beginning," so that said paragraph will read:

"No Public Garage, Automobile Repair Shop, Greasing Station, Storage Battery Service Station or Gasoline Selling Station, or any of their appurtenances or accessory uses, shall hereafter be erected or placed within fifty feet on the street line of any Residence District. No driveway to such premises shall be in any part within fifty feet of any Residence District. No such Public Garage, Automobile Repair Shop, Greasing Station, Storage Battery Service Station, or Gasoline Selling Station, or any of their appurtenances or accessory uses, shall have any entrance or exit for motor vehicles within three hundred feet of the property used by any public or private school having more than twenty-five pupils, public library, church, playground, or institution for the sick, dependent, or for children under sixteen years of age having provision for not less than ten inmates, excepting the following described areas: Beginning at the northeasterly corner of Main Street and Hancock Street and thence running northerly by and along the easterly side of Main Street one hundred sixty-two (162) feet; thence easterly one hundred fourteen (114) feet; thence southerly one hundred sixty-six (166) feet to the northerly side of

Hancock Street, thence westerly by and along the northerly side of Hancock Street ninety-nine and six tenths (99.6) feet to the point of beginning; also beginning at the most northerly corner on William Street and running southeasterly by William Street 93.28 feet; southerly by Central Street 128.95 feet; westerly by land now or formerly of Rebecca J. Beard et als 94.95 feet; northerly by Main Street 178.35 feet; northeasterly 5.9 feet to point of beginning. Yes 358. No 60.

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to elect its Board of Selectmen at the next annual election in the following manner; One for the term of one year, one for the term of two years; and one for the term of three years and at each annual meeting thereafter elect one for the term of three years as provided in Chapter 41, Section 1, of the General Laws. (Almond H. Smith).

Mr. Lister for the Finance and Advisory Board moved that the Town do vote to elect its Board of Selectmen at the next annual election in the following manner: One for the term of one year, one for the term of two years, and one for the term of three years and at each annual meeting thereafter elect one for the term of three years as provided in Chapter 41, Section 1, of the General Laws. This motion was lost. Mr. Edward H. Adzigan then moved that a committee of seven men be appointed to consist of Arthur N. Newhall, Luther Hill, Esq., Solon C. Harmon, Patrick J. Callahan, John J. English, Albert P. Rounds and one other to be selected by these six to investigate the matter of the advisability of electing the Selectmen on an annual basis with an increase of the membership to five members, four of the Selectmen to be elected on a geographical basis from four precincts of the Town and the fifth Selectman to be elected at large. This motion was lost.

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws by adding to Article XII a new section to be known as Section 22 reading as follows: "No person shall go from house to house within the Town begging or soliciting alms or contributions for any person, cause, or organization, except a recognized local fraternal, religious or educational cause or organization, without having first recorded his name and address with the Captain of Police and furnished such other information as may be requested of him. The Captain of Police shall thereupon, if satisfied of the honesty of the applicant, issue a permit which shall state that said person has duly registered and is entitled to go from house to house for the purpose specified." (Captain of Police).

Voted: That the Town do amend the By-Laws by adding to Article XII a new section to be known as Section 22 reading as follows: "No person shall go from house to house within the Town, begging or soliciting alms or contributions for any person,

cause, or organization, except a recognized local fraternal, religious or educational cause or organization, without having first recorded his name and address with the Captain of Police and furnished such other information as may be requested of him. The Captain of Police shall thereupon, if satisfied of the honesty of the applicant, issue a permit which shall state that said person has duly registered and is entitled to go from house to house for the purpose specified." Unanimous.

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws by adding to Article XII a new section to be known as Section 23 reading as follows: "No person shall sing, play on or operate any musical instrument, in any public way, or solicit, or receive compensation therefor from bystanders or the public, without first having obtained a license therefor, from the Selectmen, who are hereby empowered to grant such licenses, with such restrictions as they deem necessary." (Captain of Police).

Voted: That the Town do amend the By-Laws by adding to Article XII a new section to be known as Section 23 reading as follows: "No person shall sing, play on or operate any musical instrument, in any public way, or solicit, or receive compensation therefor from bystanders or the public, without first having obtained a license therefor, from the Selectmen, who are hereby empowered to grant such licenses, with such restrictions as they deem necessary." Unanimous.

Article 46. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws by adding to Article XII a new section to be known as Section 24 reading as follows: "No person shall post, affix, or in any way attach any poster, handbill, notice, advertisement, or placard to or upon any post, wall, fencepost, sidewalk, tree, bulding, or structure without the permission of the owner or his agent. (Captain of Police).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws, by adding to Article XII a new section to be known as Section 25 reading as follows: "No person shall, in or upon any of the public grounds, streets, commons or vacant lands appurtenant to any public building, make any public address, deliver a sermon, preach, discourse, give a concert, expose for sale any goods, wares or merchandise, erect or maintain any booth, stand, or tent, or apparatus for the purpose of public amusement or show, in the town except by license of the Board of Selectmen." (Captain of Police).

Voted: That the Town do amend the By-Laws by adding to Article XII a new section to be known as Section 25 reading as follows: "No person shall, in or upon any of the public grounds,

streets, commons or vacant lands appurtenant to any public building, make any public address, deliver a sermon, preach, discourse, give a concert, expose for sale any goods, wares or merchandise, erect or maintain any booth, stand, or tent, or apparatus for the purpose of public amusement or show, in the town except by license of the Board of Selectmen." Yes 225. No 18.

Consideration of the warrant having been completed, it was voted to adjourn.

Adjourned at 10.45 P. M.

TOWN MEETING, SEPTEMBER 16, 1935

Agreeable to a warrant signed by the Selectmen, September 3, 1935, the inhabitants of the Town of Stoneham qualified to vote in elections and town affairs met in Armory Hall in said town on Monday, September 16, 1935, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

The tellers appointed to serve on the check lists were as follows:

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| Helen M. Barry | Margaret M. Hanright |
| Mary A. Dever | Adelaide W. Lister |
| Clyde R. Dodge | Donald J. Morrison |
| Leslie C. French | Herbert Patchett |

who were sworn by the Town Clerk.

Check lists showed that 719 voters entered the hall.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Frederick P. Hanford, and the warrant read.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of constructing a high school and auditorium and authorize and direct the Selectmen to accept on behalf of the town, for use in carrying out such project, a Federal grant of money pursuant to the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935, and authorize the appointment of a committee to construct said project and contract with respect thereto; and authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow such sums as may be necessary to meet any appropriation made; or take any action relative thereto.

Mr. Charles E. Crosby, of the Finance and Advisory Board, offered the following motion:

I move that, for the purpose of constructing a High School and Auditorium and to enable the Town to secure the benefits of the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935, there be raised and appropriated the sum of \$558,500.00 and the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$355,000.00 and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor, under authority of and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 404 of the Acts of 1935, said bonds or notes to be pay-

able in not more than twenty years at such term and maximum rate of interest as may be fixed by the Emergency Finance Board.

All moneys received by way of grant from the Federal Government on account of this project shall be applied first to meet the cost of construction thereof (including preliminary expenses), and any balance thereof shall be applied to payment of the loan herein authorized.

The Selectmen are hereby authorized and directed to accept on behalf of the Town, for use in carrying out such project, a Federal grant of money pursuant to the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935, and be it further moved that a committee be appointed and that said committee is hereby authorized to proceed with the construction of said project and enter into all necessary and proper contracts and agreements in respect thereto, all subject to applicable Federal regulations; and said committee, together with the Selectmen and Town Treasurer, are authorized to do all other acts and things necessary or convenient for obtaining said grant for making said loan and for constructing said project.

Mr. Frederick W. Detheridge offered the following resolution:

Whereas the two platoon system at Stoneham High School is detrimental to the education of our children.

Whereas it can be abolished without incurring a too heavy expense on our taxpayers.

Be it resolved that the Town take immediate steps to bring about its abolishment and that a committee consisting of Charles F. Buck, Prof. Charles H. Chase and Frank B. Hamill be appointed to make an immediate investigation and suggest means for its abolishment at a future special Town Meeting to be called for the purpose of entertaining the committee's report.

Be it further resolved that this committee be also authorized to make a study of Stoneham's primary school needs and be instructed to bring in such recommendations for new primary school buildings as it deems necessary.

The Chair ruled that this resolution did not come within the scope of the warrant and was, therefore, out of order.

Later, Mr. John J. Sullivan moved that the resolution offered by Mr. Detheridge be considered as an amendment to the motion before the house. The Chair ruled that the proposed amendment was out of order.

On motion of Mr. Sullivan it was then voted: That the subject matter of this article be referred to a committee consisting of Charles F. Buck, Charles H. Chase, Frank B. Hamill, George E. MacNeil, Sr., and Thomas E. McKenna, said committee to report at the next annual town meeting.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appro-

priate a sum of money from the Samuel H. Webber Town Hall Fund, or otherwise for the purpose of constructing a town office building and authorize and direct the Selectmen to accept on behalf of the town, for use in carrying out such project, the offer of the United States of America to aid in financing the construction of said project by making a grant of money to the town in the amount of 45% of the cost of said project, not exceeding \$49,050; and authorize the appointment of a committee to construct said project and contract with respect thereto; and authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow such sums as may be necessary to meet any appropriation made; or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of constructing an elementary school and authorize and direct the Selectmen to accept on behalf of the town, for use in carrying out such project, a Federal grant of money pursuant of the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1935, and authorize the appointment of a committee to construct said project and contract with respect thereto; and authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow such sums as may be necessary to meet any appropriation made; or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of constructing an addition to Armory Hall (so-called) and authorize and direct the Selectmen to accept on behalf of the town, for use in carrying out such project, the offer of the United States of America to aid in financing the construction of said project by making a grant of money to the town in the amount of 45% of the cost of said project, not exceeding \$9,675; and authorize the apointment of a committee to construct said project and contract with respect thereto; and authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow such sums as may be necessary to meet any appropriation made; or take any action relative thereto.

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to demolish, remove or otherwise dispose of any or all of the dwelling houses and stores owned by the town on the Civic Center (so-called).

Voted: That the subject matter of this article be indefinitely postponed.

Adjourned at 10.15 P. M.

TOWN MEETING, NOVEMBER 29, 1935

Agreeable to a warrant signed by the Selectmen November 19, 1935, the inhabitants of the Town of Stoneham qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, met in Armory Hall in said town on Friday, November 29, 1935 at eight o'clock in the evening.

The tellers appointed to serve on the check lists were as follows:

Herbert Patchett

Donald Morrison

Henry D. Strail

Mary F. Dever

who were sworn by the Town Clerk.

Check lists showed that 184 voters entered the hall.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Frederick P. Hanford, and the warrant read.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the following:

- (a) The Town's share of ERA or WPA expenses.
- (b) Expenses of administration of ERA or WPA projects.
- (c) Old Age Assistance.
- (d) Completion of Pond Street resurfacing.
- (e) Summer Street resurfacing.
- (f) Snow removal.
- (g) Parks and Playgrounds.
- (h) Parks and Playgrounds—Unpaid bills.
- (i) Landscaping, etc., on Pomeworth Street Playground — Unpaid bills.
- (j) Tennis Courts — Unpaid bills.
- (k) Marble Street Curbing — Unpaid bills.

And determine how the appropriation shall be raised, by transfer, borrowing or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto.

Voted—That each item of this article be considered separately.

Voted—(a) That the sum of \$10,000 be appropriated for the Town's share of ERA and WPA expenses; said money to be expended by a committee consisting of the Board of Selectmen and the Finance and Advisory Board.

Voted—(b) That the sum of \$1,600 be appropriated for expenses of administration of ERA or WPA projects; said money to be expended by a committee consisting of the Board of Selectmen and the Finance and Advisory Board.

Voted—(c) That the sum of \$1,800 be appropriated for Old Age Assistance.

Voted—(d) That the sum of \$2,000 be appropriated for Completion of Pond Street Resurfacing.

Voted—(e) That the sum of \$375.03 be appropriated for Summer Street Resurfacing.

Voted—(g) That the sum of \$100 be appropriated for Parks and Playgrounds.

Voted—(h) That the sum of \$87.01 be appropriated for Parks and Playgrounds and Unpaid Bills.

Voted—(i) That the sum of \$595.55 be appropriated for Landscaping, etc. on Pomeworth Street Playground, Unpaid Bills.

Voted—(j) That the sum of \$174.71 be appropriated for Parks and Playgrounds, Unpaid Bills.

Voted—(k) That the sum of \$813.03 be appropriated for Marble Street Curbing, Unpaid Bills.

Voted—That to meet the said appropriations the sum of \$4,545.33 be and hereby is transferred from the balance of the appropriation for interest and that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$13,000 in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 49 of the Acts of 1933 as most recently amended by Chapter 300 of the Acts of 1935. Yes—154; No.—1

Voted—(f) That the subject matter of this item be indefinitely postponed.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the extension of and relaying water mains not less than 6 inches in diameter, said appropriation to be made from a loan authorized under Article 8 of the warrant for the annual town meeting of the year 1935, or do anything in relation thereto.

Voted—That the sum of \$15,000 be raised and appropriated for the extension of and relaying water mains not less than 6" in diameter, said appropriation to be raised from a loan authorized by the vote passed under Article 8 of the Warrant for the annual town meeting of the year 1935.

Adjourned at 9 o'clock P. M.

**AMENDMENT TO TOWN BY-LAWS
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**

Middlesex, ss.

Stoneham, Mass., March 26, 1935.

I, Charles A. Owen, duly elected and qualified Town Clerk of the Town of Stoneham, in the County of Middlesex, hereby certify that the following is a true copy of Articles 44, 45 and 47 of the Warrant for a town meeting of said Town, duly called, warned and held on Monday, March 18, 1935, when said articles were before said meeting:

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws by adding to Article XII a new section to be known as Section 22 reading as follows: "No person shall go from house to house within the Town, begging or soliciting alms or contributions for any person, cause, or organization, except a recognized local

fraternal, religious or educational cause or organization, without having first recorded his name and address with the Captain of Police and furnished such other information as may be requested of him. The Captain of Police shall thereupon, if satisfied of the honesty of the applicant, issue a permit which shall state that said person has duly registered and is entitled to go from house to house for the purpose specified." (Captain of Police).

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws by adding to Article XII a new section to be known as Section 23 reading as follows: "No person shall sing, play on or operate any musical instrument, in any public way, or solicit, or receive compensation therefor from bystanders or the public, without first having obtained a license therefor, from the Selectmen, who are hereby empowered to grant such licenses, with such restrictions as they deem necessary." (Captain of Police).

Article 47. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws by adding to Article XII a new section to be known as Section 25 reading as follows: "No person shall, in or upon any of the public grounds, streets, commons or vacant lands appurtenant to any public building, make any public address, deliver a sermon, preach, discourse, give a concert, expose for sale any goods, wares or merchandise, erect or maintain any booth, stand, or tent, or apparatus for the purpose of public amusement or show, in the town except by license of the Board of Selectmen." (Captain of Police).

I further certify that, acting under said Articles 44, 45 and 47, the following votes were passed:

Article 44.

Voted—That the Town do amend the By-Laws by adding to Article XII a new section to be known as Section 22 reading as follows: "No person shall go from house to house within the Town, begging or soliciting alms or contributions for any person, cause, or organization, except a recognized local, fraternal, religious or educational cause or organization, without having first recorded his name and address with the Captain of Police and furnished such other information as may be requested of him. The Captain of Police shall thereupon, if satisfied of the honesty of the applicant, issue a permit which shall state that said person has duly registered and is entitled to go from house to house for the purpose specified." Unanimous.

Article 45.

Voted—That the Town do amend the By-Laws by adding to Article XII a new section to be known as Section 23, reading as follows: "No person shall sing, play on or operate any musical instrument, in any public way, or solicit, or receive compensation

therefor from bystanders or the public, without first having obtained a license therefor, from the Selectmen, who are hereby empowerd to grant such licenses, with such restrictions as they deem necessary." Unanimous.

Article 47.

Voted—That the Town do amend the By-Laws by adding to Article XII a new section to be known as Section 25 reading as follows: "No person shall, in or upon any of the public grounds, streets, commons or vacant lands appurtenant to any public building, make any public address, deliver a sermon, preach, discourse, give a concert, expose for sale any goods, wares or merchandise, erect or maintain any booth, stand, or tent, or apparatus for the purpose of public amusement or show, in the Town except by license of the Board of Selectmen." Yes, 225. No, 18.

A true copy from the records.

Attest:

CHARLES A. OWEN,

Town Clerk of Stoneham.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this twenty-sixth day of March, 1935.

LUTHER HILL, Notary Public.

June 10, 1935.

The above by-laws are approved.

PAUL A. DEVER, Attorney General.

AMENDMENT TO ZONING BY-LAW
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

Stoneham, Mass., March 26, 1935.

I, Charles A. Owen, duly elected and qualified Town Clerk of the Town of Stoneham, in the County of Middlesex, hereby certify that the following is a true copy of Article 42 of the Warrant for a town meeting of said Town, duly called, warned and held on Monday, March 18, 1935 when said article was before said meeting:

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by adding at the end of the first paragraph of Section 7A of Article 1, the following: "Beginning at the most northerly corner on William Street and running southeasterly by William Street 93.28 feet; southerly by Central Street 128.95 feet; westerly by land now or formerly of Rebecca J. Beard et als 94.95 feet; northerly by Main Street 178.35 feet; northeasterly 5.9 feet to beginning," so that said paragraph will read:

"No Public Garage, Automobile Repair Shop, Greasing Station, Storage Battery Service Station or Gasoline Selling Station, or any of their appurtenances or accessory uses, shall hereafter be

erected or placed within fifty feet on the street line of any Residence District. No driveway to such premises shall be in any part within fifty feet of any Residence District. No such Public Garage, Automobile Repair Shop, Greasing Station, Storage Battery Service Station, or Gasoline Selling Station, or any of their appurtenances or accessory uses, shall have any entrance or exit for motor vehicles within three hundred feet of the property used by any public or private school having more than twenty-five pupils, public library, church, playground, or institution for the sick, dependent, or for children under sixteen years of age having provision for not less than ten inmates, excepting the following described areas: Beginning at the northeasterly corner of Main Street and Hancock Street and thence running northerly by and along the easterly side of Main Street one hundred sixty-two (162) feet; thence easterly one hundred fourteen (114) feet; thence southerly one hundred sixty-six (166) feet to the northerly side of Hancock Street; thence westerly by and along the northerly side of Hancock Street ninety-nine and six tenths (99.6) feet to the point of beginning; also beginning at the most northerly corner of William Street and running southeasterly by William Street 93.28 feet; southerly by Central Street 128.95 feet; westerly by land now or formerly of Rebecca J. Beard et als 94.95 feet; northerly by Main Street 178.35 feet; northeasterly 5.9 feet to point of beginning

I further certify that, acting under said Article 42, the following vote was passed:

Voted—That the Town do amend the Zoning By-Law by adding at the end of the first paragraph of Section 7A, Article 1. the following:

"Beginning at the most northerly corner on William Street and running southeasterly by William Street 92.28 feet; southerly by Central Street 128.95 feet; westerly by land now or formerly of Rebecca J. Beard et als 94.95 feet; northerly by Main Street 178.35 feet; northeasterly 5.9 feet to beginning," so that said paragraph will read:

"No Public Garage, Automobile Repair Shop, Greasing Station, Storage Battery Service Station or Gasoline Selling Station, or any of their appurtenances or accessory uses, shall hereafter be erected or placed within fifty feet on the street line of any Residence District. No driveway to such premises shall be in any part within fifty feet of any Residence District. No such Public Garage, Automobile Repair Shop, Greasing Station, Storage Battery Service Station, or Gasoline Selling Station, or any of their appurtenances or accessory uses, shall have any entrance or exit for motor vehicles within three hundred feet of the property used by any public or private school having more than twenty-five pupils,

public library, church, playground, or institution for the sick, dependent, or for children under sixteen years of age having provision for not less than ten inmates, excepting the following described areas: Beginning at the northeasterly corner of Main Street and Hancock Street and thence running northerly by and along the easterly side of Main Street one hundred sixty-two (162) feet; thence easterly one hundred fourteen (114) feet; thence southerly one hundred sixty-six (166) feet to the northerly side of Hancock Street; thence westerly by and along the northerly side of Hancock Street ninety-nine and six tenths (99.6) feet to the point of beginning; also beginning at the most northerly corner of William Street and running southeasterly by William Street 93.28 feet; southerly by Central Street 128.95 feet; westerly by land now or formerly of Rebecca J. Beard et als 94.95 feet; northerly by Main Street 178.35 feet; northeasterly 5.9 feet to point of beginning.

Yes, 358. No, 60.

I also certify that no objections to the proposed amendment were filed in the office of the Town Clerk.

A true copy from the records

Attest: CHARLES A. OWEN,
Town Clerk of Stoneham.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this twenty-sixth day of March, 1935.

LUTHER HILL, Notary Public.

Boston, April 4, 1935.

The foregoing by law is hereby approved.

PAUL A. DEVER, Attorney General.

PERAMBULATION OF BOUNDARY LINES BETWEEN
STONEHAM AND MALDEN

December 7, 1935

We, the subscribers, the Selectmen of the Town of Stoneham and Aldermen and City Engineer of the City of Malden, having met according to appointment, to perambulate the boundary lines between the said Stoneham and Malden, find said lines marked by bounds in accordance with the appended description.

For the City of Malden

David F. Roy
Henry W. Estey

For the Town of Stoneham

Everett C. Hunt
Thomas E. Cahill

Corner 1

Location.—The corner is situated in Middlesex Fells on rough and rocky ground, in a growth of oaks containing a few scattering pines.

Mark.—The corner mark is an irregular boulder about 18 inches square and 2.2 feet high. It rests on a pile of stones and is marked M M S 1.

Corner 2

Location.—The corner is situated on very high land in Middlesex Fells, about 600 feet north of Spot Pond road, at a point about 1,300 feet westerly from its junction with Fells Parkway East. About 200 feet northerly from the corner is a large pile of stones about 8 feet high, known as "the Monument" or "Cairn" located upon a ledge. The corner is also about 250 feet south-westerly from the cart path which passes to the north of the "Cairn".

OFFICE FEES

Dog Licenses:

| | | |
|--------------------------|-----------|------------|
| 421 Males | at \$2.00 | \$842.00 |
| 71 Females | at \$5.00 | 355.00 |
| 120 Spayed Females | at \$2.00 | 240.00 |
| | | _____ |
| | | \$1,437.00 |

Sporting Licenses:

| | | |
|-------------------|-----------|----------|
| 53 Fishing | at \$2.00 | \$106.00 |
| 45 Hunting | at \$2.00 | 90.00 |
| 16 Sporting | at \$3.25 | 52.00 |
| 3 Minors | at \$1.25 | 3.75 |
| 14 No Fee | | _____ |

251.75

Marriage Licenses

158.00

Recording Fees:

| | |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Mortgages | \$213.17 |
| Pole Locations | 41.78 |
| Gasoline Registrations | 20.00 |
| | _____ |

274.95

Miscellaneous Fees

56.25

\$2,177.95

Paid State, Sporting Licenses

\$222.50

Paid Town:

| | |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Dog Licenses | \$1,437.00 |
| Sporting Licenses Fees | 29.25 |
| Marriage Licenses | 158.00 |
| Recording Fees | 274.95 |
| Miscellaneous Fees | 56.25 |
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CHARLES A. OWEN, Town Clerk.

REPORT OF BOARD OF APPEAL

January 2, 1936

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Town of Stoneham, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The Board of Appeal under the Zoning By-Law submits the following summary of its work during 1935, that being the eleventh year of the operation of the Stoneham By-Law:

ORGANIZATION AND MEMBERSHIP ON JANUARY 1, 1935

Chairman Chester A. Richardson

Regular Members: James G. Wallace, Ralph H. Leach, William N. Rogers, Albert J. Blackburn.

Associate Members: Andrew V. McDonnell and Robert A. Newcomb.

Clerk: Edna L. Tolman.

The Board reorganized at its meeting of May 22nd, Member Chester A. Richardson was chosen as Chairman and Edna L. Tolman as Clerk.

Regular Members: James G. Wallace, Harry A. Williams, Richard G. Waters, Albert J. Blackburn.

Associate Members: Andrew V. McDonnell and Robert A. Newcomb.

Statistics

For the calendar year of 1935, this Board's work may be summarized as follows:

APPEALED CASES FROM THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

Total number filed—7.

Public Hearings advertised and held—8.

Appeals refused—1.

Appeals granted as requested—5.

Appeals granted with restrictions—1.

One hearing was called and held under the provisions of Section 27A, Chapter 40 of the General Laws and petition was granted.

The total number of hearings held this past year, eight in number, is one less than held the previous year and is the smallest number that have occurred in any year since the passing of the Zoning By-Law.

Respectfully submitted,
CHESTER A. RICHARDSON, Chairman,
JAMES G. WALLACE
ALBERT J. BLACKBURN
HARRY A. WILLIAMS
RICHARD G. WATERS
ROBERT A. NEWCOMB
ANDREW V. McDONNELL.

ASSESSORS' REPORT 1935

Valuation

| | |
|-------------------------|-----------------|
| Buildings | \$10,085,575.00 |
| Land | 3,489,450.00 |
| | _____ |
| Total | \$13,575,025.00 |
| Personal Property | 849,050.00 |
| | _____ |
| | \$14,424,075.00 |

Debits

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Town Grant | \$578,086.08 |
| State Tax | 20,900.00 |
| County Tax | 20,966.25 |
| Charles River Basin | 1,500.00 |
| Metropolitan Parks | 5,700.00 |
| Metropolitan Parks Series No. 2 | 954.00 |
| Metropolitan Park Nantasket | 350.00 |
| Metropolitan Planning | 85.00 |
| Wellington Bridge | 20.00 |
| Wellington Bridge Special | 571.00 |
| Metropolitan Sewer No. System | 6,750.00 |
| Metropolitan Water | 31,700.00 |
| Smoke Abatement | 80.00 |
| Auditing Municipal Accounts | 108.23 |
| Hospital Care for Civil War Veterans or their Widows | 407.00 |
| Canterbury Street Highway | 30.00 |
| Land Taking Revere Highway | 310.00 |
| Ocean Ave. Revere | 120.00 |
| Ways in Malden, Braintree, Weymouth, Hingham | 2.00 |
| West Roxbury-Brookline Parkway | 45.00 |
| Deficits in 1932 | 702.09 |
| Overlays 1935 | 7,694.14 |
| | _____ |
| Total | \$677,080.79 |

Credits

| | |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Income Tax | \$27,678.72 |
| Corporation Tax | 5,753.38 |
| Race Track Distribution | 1,100.00 |
| Estimated Receipts | 138,878.29 |
| Poll Taxes | 6,700.00 |
| From E. and D. Account | 16,000.00 |
| From Water Loan | 8,000.00 |

| | |
|--|---------------|
| Tax Titles | 5,000.00 |
| Debits | \$215,510.39 |
| Credits | |
| Amount to Raise | 461,570.40 |
| Valuation | 14,427,075.40 |
| Tax Rate | 32.00 |
| Betterment Assessments | |
| Street | \$2,277.91 |
| Sidewalk | 161.01 |
| Sewer | 4,358.40 |
| Moths | 1,426.40 |
| Total amount of all Taxes Listed in the Collectors' Commitmittment | \$469,794.12 |
| Population | 10,865 |
| Valuation Per Capita | 1,312.00 |
| Number of Horses | 51 |
| Number of Cows | 192 |
| Number of Swine | 150 |
| Number of Dwelling Houses | 2,309 |
| Number of Acres of Land | 2,471 |
| Number of Fowl | 4,475 |
| Automobiles | |
| Number of Cars Registered | 2,951 |
| Total Value of Cars | \$602,190.00 |
| Taxes | 16,093.73 |
| Abatements Granted | 858.19 |

JOHN J. KENNEY, Chairman,
 LAWRENCE E. DOUCETT,
 PETER L McCARTY,

Assessors.

HARRY A. WILLIAMS,

Clerk.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The Trustees believe that the Public Library has contributed in a large degree to the well-being of the citizens of the town throughout a difficult year, when a period of lessened opportunities for employment has made the wise use of leisure time a serious problem for all who are interested in social service as well as for those who are without work.

The free use of well-chosen books, magazines and newspapers, comfortable and attractive reading rooms and the courteous and helpful services of the Librarian and her assistants have been sources of comfort and inspiration to many.

Efforts are constantly being made to increase the usefulness of the Library both for serious study and for culture and recreation. Many reference books have been provided to meet the educational needs of the pupils of our public and parochial schools and of many who are taking University Extension or other courses. Books on special subjects are segregated for their use.

We believe the opportunities so offered are appreciated by most readers and students. Unfortunately there are a few of the latter class whose training in regard to the use of public property is being neglected or disregarded. Many reference books, especially encyclopedias, have been seriously mutilated and valuable volumes have been stolen. This is more than thoughtless selfishness. It is criminal and malicious. It results in the deprivation to others of the use of much valued material.

Our Children's Room is undoubtedly one of the finest in the state. Special care is taken that this room have its full share of new books. We are most desirous that its resources and privileges be better understood and used by both teachers and pupils. The book guessing contest, carried on during National Book Week, to which reference is made in the Librarian's report, was stimulating and we hope will lead to wider reading by the pupils of all grades.

On November 25, 1935 our Library joined with thousands of others in the country in celebrating the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Andrew Carnegie, to whom we feel enduring gratitude, for it was through his generous gift that Stoneham had its first library building, a part of the present structure. A fine portrait of this benefactor, presented by the Carnegie Corporation, has been hung on the wall of the delivery room.

The Trustees have seriously considered the advisability of opening the Library to readers on Sunday afternoons. Through the local papers an expression of the wishes of the patrons was requested. In view of the very indifferent response and the addi-

tional expense which would be involved, the Trustees have decided to take no action, at present, in regard to the matter.

The co-operation of the literature department of the Stoneham Woman's Club in having a special exhibit of new books from the Library, most attractively arranged, at the opening meeting of the Club, is highly appreciated.

The interest shown by the Stoneham Garden Club is referred to, in detail, in the appended report of Miss Jackson. We feel that their contribution of flowers, books, etc. have added much to the attractiveness of our delivery and reading rooms and we wish to express our gratitude for their aid.

Our beautiful library building is a source of pride to all our citizens. Minor repairs are occasionally needed. It is the intention of the Trustees that no deterioration be allowed to mar its beauty or lessen its usefulness. We also hope that its service to the people of Stoneham will be increasingly intelligent and helpful.

We wish to express our deep appreciation of the willing and efficient co-operation of our Librarian, Miss Martha Jackson, and her staff of assistants and also of the faithful services of the other employees of the Library.

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES H. CHASE, Chairman,
GEORGE A. PACKARD,
HERBERT H. RICHARDSON,
GEORGE A. HINCHCLIFFE,
EDWARD H. ADZIGIAN,
ALICE V. PEYTON, Secretary.

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

To the Trustees of the Stoneham Public Library

I present the seventy-seventh annual report of the Stoneham Public Library.

The Stoneham Public Library is one of the early public libraries, said to be the second oldest in the state, having been founded in 1859. While not a large library, its use has steadily increased. The town is fortunate in having an enlarged library building for the last four years, when libraries have been so much used for reading and study, but it is faced with a problem in providing an increasing number of new books and magazines to meet the public demand and also there is a great need of a larger sum spent for rebinding.

INTER-LIBRARY LOAN

To meet the demands of the public for added material in books of study, the library has borrowed frequently from the

State Division of Public Libraries as well as neighboring public libraries, the Stoneham School Library and some private libraries, who have generously loaned books.

GIFTS

Gifts of books and magazines, which are always welcome, have been received during the year.

Flowers have been given, which have added to the attractive appearance of the library.

The Stoneham Garden Club has continued to exhibit specimen flowers from early spring to late autumn. A Garden Club member's gift, which will probably last through the winter, is a very attractive terrarium, made up of native woodland plants. At Christmas an artistic wreath made of evergreens, recommended by the New England Wild Flower Preservation Society was given by the Club and also a very attractive winter bouquet made by a member of the Club.

EXHIBITION CASES

The library is always glad to have the loan of any interesting exhibit.

Among those that occasioned considerable interest were two exhibits of early American glass and an exhibit of old china by Stoneham residents in the Adult Reading Room.

The Boys' and Girls' Room had an exhibit of Egyptian material some of which was made at the schools. An exhibit of Book Posters from the Dean School was given "Book Week." The last exhibit of the year was "Christmas Around the World."

BOYS' AND GIRLS' ROOM

The morning hours from 10 A. M. to 12 M. each school day have been continued through the year, especially to accommodate the Junior High School students in reference work.

"Book Week" was observed by a display of new books. On Saturday morning of that week, a little play, written by the children's librarian, was given and two stories were told by her. Prizes of books were awarded the boys and girls winning the Book Guessing Contest. A good deal of interest was taken in the contest, over one hundred boys and girls taking part.

STAFF

Martha A. Jackson, Librarian; H. Elizabeth Symonds, Assistant Librarian; Marian W. Callanan, Children's Librarian; Phyllis Faulkner and Bertha Houston, Part Time Assistants.

AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION FORM OF STATISTICS

For the Year Ending December 31, 1935

Name of Library Stoneham Public Library
Town and State Stoneham, Massachusetts

| | |
|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Name of Librarian | Martha A. Jackson |
| Date of Founding | 1859 |
| Population Served | 10,000 |
| Assessed Valuation | \$14,424,075 |

Terms of use: Free to residents of Stoneham, teachers in public schools, and by special permission to persons employed in, or guests in the town.

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| Number of days library was open during the year | 301 |
| Number of volumes at beginning of year | 18,613 |
| Number of volumes added by purchase | 950 |
| Number of volumes added by gift | 95 |
| Number of volumes added by binding | 2 |
| Circulation per capita | 9.2 |
| Number of new borrowers registered during year | 388 |
| Total number of borrowers registered | 6,409 |

1935 STATISTICS

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|----------------------------------|--------|
| Total Circulation for 1935 | 92,055 |
| Adult Fiction | 58,635 |
| Adult Non-Fiction | 12,684 |
| Juvenile Fiction | 16,464 |
| Juvenile Non-Fiction | 3,787 |
| Foreign Books | 209 |
| Pictures | 276 |
| <hr/> Totals | 92,055 |

Respectfully submitted,

MARTHA A. JACKSON, Librarian.

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Appropriations

| | |
|---------------------------|------------|
| Appropriations | \$7,525.00 |
| Received from Funds | 1,021.38 |
| Refunded | 21.98 |
| <hr/> | |
| | \$8,568.36 |

Expenditures

| | |
|--|------------|
| Salaries, Librarian and Assistants | \$4,225.50 |
| Janitors | 1,018.42 |
| Books | 1,614.17 |
| Periodicals | 176.25 |
| Binding | 278.27 |
| Stationery, Printing, etc. | 162.18 |
| Telephone | 62.58 |
| Repairs | 165.27 |
| Miscellaneous Building Expenses | 89.90 |

| | |
|---------------------|------------|
| Fuel | 437.45 |
| Lighting | 313.64 |
| Miscellaneous | 24.73 |
| | _____ |
| | \$8,568.36 |

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

During the year 1935 but 146 cases of contagious diseases were reported to our Board as compared with 238 cases in 1934. The four largest number of cases were:

| | |
|----------------------|----|
| Scarlet Fever | 16 |
| German Measles | 24 |
| Whooping Cough | 29 |
| Dogbite | 48 |

Not a case of diphtheria has been reported to Board since 1932. We have five cases of tuberculosis in Middlesex County Sanatorium at an expense to the Town of \$10.50 per week.

We have paid for hospitalization:

| | |
|---|----------|
| Boston City Hospital | |
| (Settlement Case) Lobar Pneumonia | \$117.64 |
| Reading-Boston Memorial Hospital | |
| (Settlement Case) Scarlet Fever | 80.00 |
| Woburn-Malden Contagious Hospital | |
| (Settlement Case) Scarlet Fever | 105.00 |
| | _____ |
| Total | \$302.64 |

Dogbite leads the list of reported contagious diseases, nearly one-third of the total 146 in 1935. February 26 we were notified by the State Department of Public Health a dog's head showed that he was afflicted with rabies and requested our Board to furnish free anti-rabic treatment to four persons who were exposed. Again on March 5, another dog's head was reported by the State Department of Public Health as having rabies and two persons were bitten by that dog and required anti-rabic treatment. The cost to the Town for the treatment and serum for those six cases was \$157.00.

The dog problem in Stoneham had become so acute that at a conference of the Board of Health, Dr. Hersam, School Physician, Captain Nelson of the Police Department and Board of Selectmen June 25, it was decided that the Stoneham public should know that since March 1st, 18 cases of dogbite had been reported to the Board of Health.

In view of this serious condition, notices were sent to all dog owners to have their dogs immunized for rabies at a clinic conducted by the Board of Health (at the dog owner's expense) or their dogs would be restrained until so immunized.

A dog clinic was held in the old Armory July 23, 24, 25 and 26, Dr. William Buckley of Winchester, two dog holders, the Board of Health Nurse and two clerks successfully gave anti-rabic immunization to 268 dogs. Sept. 10-11 the second dog clinic

was held in the Armory and 42 dogs were immunized, making a total of 340 dogs treated out of 580 in town. We cannot prevent dogs from biting, but with the co-operation of an efficient dog officer, and as good or better response to our dog clinic in 1936, we can prevent rabies in human beings and save money being spent for anti-rabic treatment.

Sept. 25, Oct. 2, 9, and 16, 120 Public, Parochial and 32 Pre-school children were given (toxoid) diphtheria immunization by Dr. Hersam and Dr. Kerrigan assisted by the School and Board of Health Nurses, Miss Franchere and Miss Ames, which is largely responsible for our splendid showing of not a case of diphtheria reported to our Board for more than three years.

During September Dr. Cyphert and Miss Ames (Board of Health Nurse) examined the mouths and throats of 565 Public, Parochial and Sanitarium school children (first three grades) correcting mouth, teeth and other physical defects. This service should be appreciated by Stoneham parents.

Early in 1935 Miss Angela Conlan gave up her position as Board of Health Nurse because of prolonged illness. The Board appointed Miss Dorcas Ames, R. N., to fill the position, and she has more than made good at the Dental Clinic, Parochial School and in all the duties of her office.

November 19, Thomas A. Riley, an example of the highest type of laboring man and public servant, was taken from us by death.

S. Rotundi & Sons' crew have dumped on our dumps 1086 five-feet high truck loads of ashes and rubbish, and the Town (by courtesy of Mr. Sweeney) 301 truck loads of street refuse. All of this waste removed from premises has had much to do with our excellent health record and a reduced fire loss during the year.

The garbage service rendered by Mr. Meegan while not perfect, but so far as we can learn has been as good or better than in adjoining towns.

Our new dump on Stevens st is almost model, cared for by Charles W. Syring.

The many details and problems of health department work have been met and overcome, not excepting apparently unnecessary laws passed by the General Court.

Reports of Milk Inspector, Agent, Board of Health Nurse, Dental Clinic and Plumbing Inspector follow this report.

GEO. A. HINCHCLIFFE, Health Officer.
JOSEPH. H. KERRIGAN, M. D.
GEO. A HINCHCLIFFE
LAWRENCE E. DOUCETT
Board of Health

MILK INSPECTOR'S REPORT

I have issued

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----|
| Store Milk Licenses | 43 |
| Wagon and Dealers' Licenses | 24 |
| | |
| Total | 67 |
| Pasteurization (Local) | 5 |

January 1, 1935 under our new regulation all milk sold in Stoneham "Shall be drawn from exclusively tuberculin tested and accredited herds, or tested herds on the way to accreditation; shall be certified in the Medical Milk Commission in the manner required by law, and pasteurized."

This safeguards the consumer and under State and local supervision guarantees the standard of bacteria, solids and fats. Local milk analyses monthly shows the milk content sold in Stoneham.

State and National Inspectors have inspected our local dairies during the year.

Respectfully yours,

GEO. A. HINCHCIFFE,
Milk Inspector.

BOARD OF HEALTH NURSE ANNUAL REPORT

I have been in attendance daily during school sessions.
Parochial School:

Individual and classroom inspections made frequently with classroom talks.

| | |
|---|-----|
| Children examined by Dr. Kerrigan | 426 |
| Children examined for cleanliness | 382 |
| Children weighed and measured quarterly | 426 |
| Children tested for sight and hearing | 426 |
| First aid treatments | 277 |
| Exclusions from school | 19 |

Clinic Work:

| | |
|---|-----|
| Children referred to clinics and private physicians | 17 |
| Children taken to New England Sanitarium | 12 |
| Children taken to North Reading Sanatorium | 8 |
| Children sent to Sharon for the Summer | 4 |
| Children immunized for diphtheria | 127 |

Chadwick State T. B. Cline:

| | |
|-----------------------|----|
| Examinations | 56 |
| Follow-up-cases | 3 |
| X-Rays | 11 |

Home Work:

| | |
|---------------------|----|
| Home Visits | 62 |
| Consultations | 66 |

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|--------------------|------|
| Dental Clinic: | |
| Examinations | 565 |
| Patients | 475 |
| Operations | 2093 |

Respectfully submitted,

DORCAS AMES, R. N.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH DENTAL CLINIC 1935

| | |
|--|------|
| Total number of patients | 475 |
| Total number of Amalgam fillings | 867 |
| Total number of cement fillings | 662 |
| Total number of extractions | 176 |
| Total number of Prophylaxis | 316 |
| Total number of completions | 437 |
| Total number of referred for gas extractions | 45 |
| Total number of operations | 2093 |

Examined 565 children in the public and parochial schools in the first, second and third grades and sent reports home to the parents in September.

Sincerely,

PAUL R. CYPHERT, D. D. S.

REPORT OF AGENT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

To the Board of Health,

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1935

Contagious diseases reported:

| | |
|---------------------------------|---------|
| Anterior Poliomyelitis | 1 |
| Chicken Pox | 29 |
| Dog Bite | 48 |
| Cerebro Spinal Meningitis | 1 |
| German Measles | 24 |
| Lobar Pneumonia | 6 |
| Malaria | 1 |
| Measles | 8 |
| Mumps | 2 |
| Scarlet Fever | 16 |
| Septic Sore Throat | 1 |
| Pulmonary Tuberculosis | 4 |
| Whooping Cough | 4 |
| Infantile Paralysis | 1 |
| Total | 146 |

Deaths recorded:

| | Males | Females | Total |
|---------------|-------|---------|-------|
| January | 7 | 5 | 12 |

| | | | |
|---|--------|---------|---------|
| February | 8 | 6 | 14 |
| March | 5 | 10 | 15 |
| April | 7 | 4 | 11 |
| May | 12 | 11 | 23 |
| June | 5 | 20 | 25 |
| July | 9 | 7 | 16 |
| August | 6 | 9 | 15 |
| September | 9 | 9 | 18 |
| October | 9 | 6 | 15 |
| November | 9 | 5 | 14 |
| December | 11 | 12 | 23 |
| Totals | 97 | 104 | 201 |
| Burial permits issued | | | 162 |
| Burial permits issued on certificates from other States | | | 1 |
| Permits for transportation of bodies | | | 5 |
| Removal permits issued | | | 8 |
| Deaths occurring elsewhere and recorded in Stoneham | | | 39 |
| Plumbing permits issued | | | 65 |

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES A. OWEN, Agent

REPORT OF PLUMBING INSPECTOR

To the Board of Health, Stoneham, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1935.

| | |
|---------------------------------|-------|
| Number of permits granted | 71 |
| Number of fixtures | 265 |
| Divided as follows: | |
| Bath tubs | 40 |
| Lavatories | 46 |
| Closets | 51 |
| Sinks | 53 |
| Wash trays | 40 |
| Boilers | 35 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 265 |

I have made 158 inspections.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID TAGGART,
Plumbing Inspector.

REGULATIONS OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH TOWN OF STONEHAM

The Board of Health of the Town of Stoneham as authorized by Chapter III Section 31 of the General Laws hereby makes the following Regulations for the Public Health.

PRIVIES AND CESSPOOLS

No person shall occupy or permit others to occupy any building owned by him as a dwelling, tenement or lodging house unless such building or premises on which such building is located is provided with a suitable water tight privy or a water closet; nor unless every water closet, sink, sat bowl, slop hopper or like fixture is properly trapped and connected with a water tight, soil pipe of sufficient size to carry off the contents of such water closet or fixture to a cesspool or sewer. Every building used as a tenement for more than one family shall be provided with at least one privy vault or water closet for each family.

Every building or premises on which such building is located not having a privy or water closet conforming with the foregoing regulation shall be condemned and declared a nuisance and dangerous to the public health, and forthwith abated in accordance with law.

The foregoing regulations shall take effect March 2, 1936.

The owner or other persons or person having control of any existing building or buildings hereafter erected or converted into a dwelling to be occupied by one or more families and from which a public sewer is accessible shall in a manner and within a period of time satisfactory to the Board of Health cause such buildings to be connected with a public sewer.

No indoor toilet or water closet except that which is provided with the proper means of flushing with water at the time of using where water is available shall be hereafter installed on any premises in this Town. Where water is not available for flushing indoor chemical toilets of approved material and construction shall be installed under special permit from the Board of Health; proper provision being made for the final disposal of the contents thereof.

Whenever a water closet, privy vault, cesspool or drain becomes offensive or obstructed the owner, agent or occupant of the premises shall cause the same to be cleaned, made free or otherwise corrected.

Every owner, occupant or agent of premises in which there is any privy, sewer, drain, privy vault or cesspool shall keep the same in a sanitary condition and shall have every privy vault

and cesspool cleaned when necessary or at such times as ordered by the Board of Health.

Adopted January 14, 1936.

JOSEPH H. KERRIGAN, M. D.
GEORGE A. HINCHCLIFFE,
LAWRENCE E. DOUCETT,

Board of Health, Town of Stoneham.

BIRTHS

Residence

Parents

| Date | Name | Jan. | Parents |
|------|---------------------------|-----------|----------------------------|
| 1 | Harold Francis LeSage | Stoneham | Norman J. and Gertrude B. |
| 1 | Dorothy Jane Leahy | Medford | Paul A. and Marion C. |
| 2 | John Whidden Twomey | Malden | Mortimer C. and Gladys W. |
| 4 | Frances Fonzi Massaro | Malden | Alfonso and Jennie C. |
| 4 | Elizabeth Ann Giuliano | Reading | Concetto and Elsa O. |
| 6 | Marbara Ann Connolly | Malden | Ralph L. and Mary E. |
| 7 | Mabel Francis Winton | Stoneham | Clarence T. and Harriet A. |
| 9 | | | |
| 11 | Louise Dawn Horn | Stoneham | John T. and Louise D. |
| 15 | Richard Otto Schulz | Medford | Richard O. and Margaret V. |
| 16 | Terrill Marcia Corkum | Stoneham | Chesley W. and Elsa M. |
| 21 | Adrian Clement McLaughlin | Stoneham | Raymond V. and Helen A. |
| 22 | James William Kenney | Stoneham | Charles M. and Gladys I. |
| 23 | John Dietrich Stelling | Quincy | John H. and Katie C. |
| 25 | Kathleen Creedon | Wakefield | Daniel C. and Mary C. |
| 26 | Ruth Palmer Damelio | Stoneham | Sam S. and Aurora D. |
| 27 | Janet Mildred Swanson | Everett | Ernest G. and Mildred A. |
| 27 | Sidney Warren Watkins | Medford | Sidney A. and Marjorie M. |
| 30 | Frances Marion Berry | Stoneham | Walden A. and Beatrice |
| 31 | Charlotte Irene Crouch | Woburn | Silas M. and Paulina A. |
| Feb. | | | |
| 1 | Eileen Hazel MacLeod | Wakefield | John A. and Sarah |
| 1 | John Richard Condon, Jr. | Reading | John R. and Irma Y. |

BIRTHS

| Date | Name | Residence | Parents |
|------|---------------------------|----------------|----------------------------------|
| 4 | Carol Ann Eramo | Stoneham | Edward G. and Madeline F. |
| 6 | Marjorie Mary Macaulay | Malden | Everell L. and Eleanor L. |
| 9 | Eleanor Kathryn Burke | Malden | Thomas P. and Margaret G. |
| 9 | Barbara Ellen Means | Medford | Frederick A. and Adia E. |
| 9 | Benjamin Edward Pike, Jr. | Malden | Benjamin E. Sr. and Elizabeth C. |
| 9 | Elizabeth Hackett Pike | Malden | Benjamin E. Sr. and Elizabeth C. |
| 10 | Shirley Marie Gorski | Malden | Stanley and Mabel E. |
| 11 | Marjorie Ella Conrad | Malden | James L. and Ruth E. |
| 11 | Beverley Ann Brackett | Everett | Ellison K. and Ethel L. |
| 13 | Charles Thomas Salvage | Stoneham | Harold and Catherine H. |
| 14 | Kimber Harvey Pigan | Stoneham | Chester H. and Dorothy G. |
| 15 | William Frederic Cronin | Stoneham | Charles and Mary E. |
| 18 | Esther Fletcher | Malden | John L. and Helen B. |
| Feb. | | | |
| 18 | Leroy Walter Philbrook | Matinicus, Me. | Ivan A. and Naida H. |
| 19 | David Allen Theriault | Malden | Wilfred E. and Dorothy W. |
| 19 | Philip Ronald Goldsworthy | Medford | Alexander and Bernice E. |
| 20 | Carole Ann Benson | Everett | Irving and Mildred F. |
| 22 | Marie Theresa Silverrio | Malden | Mario and Mary A. |
| 25 | Henry Goulding Ramette | Wakefield | Henry K. and Gertrude E. |
| 26 | William Crombie Walsh | | William J. and Elsie M. |
| 26 | Geraldine Ann Walsh | | Francis M. and Bertha M. |
| 26 | Ethel Frances Burke | Stoneham | Francis E. and Alwilda M. |
| 28 | Louis Fionda | Stoneham | Guy and Anna |

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|-------------|--------------------------|------------|--------------------------|
| 2 | Noreen Frances Jordan | Stoneham | Patrick F. and Margaret |
| 3 | Irving Murton Levine | Malden | Samuel and Eva |
| Mar. | | | |
| 1 | Patrick Finbarr Cadigan | Malden | Denis J. and Mary S. |
| 2 | Charles Revere Curtis | Melrose | Amory R. and Gladys F. |
| 3 | Lorna Jane Doonan | Malden | William C. and Marie C. |
| 4 | Joan May Kraft | Stoneham | Norval G. and Elsie |
| 5 | Donald Francis Hume | Stoneham | George E. and Mary V. |
| 7 | Carol May Copeland | Stoneham | George H. and Mabel |
| 7 | Mary Dougherty | Stoneham | John and Agnes |
| 9 | Judith Lee Frohburg | Andover | Frank W. and Virginia L. |
| 10 | Kaye Sanborn | Reading | Edwin N. and Sylvia R. |
| 12 | Dorothy Frances Dexter | Wakefield | Willis P. and Annie N. |
| 12 | James William Nutt | Melrose | James F. and Elinor W. |
| 13 | _____ Borland | Stoneham | David J. and Edith E. |
| 13 | Frank Peter Knight | Stoneham | Frank L. and Eleanor L. |
| 16 | Harold Edwin Thorn | Stoneham | Henry H. and Hazel M. |
| 17 | Richard Ernest Thibodeau | Stoneham | Ernest R. and Agnes C. |
| 18 | Louise Kleinschmidt | Stoneham | Robert V. and Eleanor S. |
| 18 | Hilda Marian Colasanti | Malden | Aurelio and Helen M. |
| 20 | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 21 | Mary Lucille McEachern | Stoneham | Edward D. and Dana M. |
| 23 | Jeanne Lucille Harris | Boston | Thomas F. and Lucille J. |
| 23 | Dawn Elaine Hibbard | Wakefield | Girard O. and Leah E. |
| 25 | Josephine Mary Russo | Somerville | Horace and Marianna |
| 26 | Chester Edward Small | Stoneham | Chester E. and Mary R. |

| BIRTHS | | Name | Residence | Parents |
|--------|-----------|---------------------|------------|-----------------------------|
| Date | Mar. | | | |
| 26 | Eileen | Theresa Hurley | Malden | Michael and Nellie |
| 29 | Mary | Margaret Spencer | Malden | William H. and Mary A. |
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| 7 | Charles Rotondi | Stoneham |
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| 8 | Donald Frank Lutz | Stoneham |
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| 30 | Elizabeth Ann Farmer | Charles E. Jr. and Greta M. |
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| 3 | Johanna Rose Sorbera | Frank and Celia |
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| 12 | Walter Edgar Green | Stoneham | Walter N. and Catherine D. |
| 13 | Joseph Odoardi | Malden | Joseph P. and Mollie R. |
| 14 | Russell Cushing Chase, Jr. | Stoneham | Russell C. and Katherine E. |
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| 17 | Cynthia Anna Weir | Stoneham | Charles and Annie L. |
| 17 | Rosemary Brogna | Woburn | Peter M. and Laura |
| 17 | Davis Stevens Tarr | Marblehead | Allan L. and Gloria |
| 17 | Joan Elizabeth Morrison | Malden | George A. and Irene |
| 17 | Marvin Russell Wilson | Melrose | Malcolm C. and Marion E. |
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| 23 | Carole Dempsey | Stoneham | William A. and Gertrude E. |
| 23 | Glenn Edward Bushway | Stoneham | Arthur E. and Anna B. |
| 23 | Eva Muriel Benoit | Melrose | Robert L. and Muriel G. |
| 24 | Marilyn Sue McCarthy | Stoneham | Clarence Wilbur and Marjorie L. |
| 25 | Joan Fay Lieberman | Reading | Samuel and Elizabeth S. |

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| 30 | Evelyn Elizabeth Newcomb | Stoneham | Abner J. and Florence M. |
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| 1 | Robert Grant Sprague | Stoneham | Lester J. and Evelyn M. |
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| 5 | John Kenneth Rollins | Medford | John S. and Margaret J. |
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| 7 | Barbara Ann Gregor | Somerville | Charles L. and Jeanette |
| 7 | John Lawrence Sullivan | Malden | John J. Jr. and Mildred L. |
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| 8 | Winifred Louise Brooks | Medford | Stanley and Lillian L. |
| 10 | Harry Donald Woods | Malden | Harry C. and Wilma |
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| 13 | Alvan Morton Kawadler | Malden | William and Bessie M. |
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| 19 | John Climo | Malden | John C. Jr. and Louise K. |
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| 3 | Audrey Belle Lynn | Stoneham | Russell H. and Fanny B. |
| 4 | Raymon Stephen Webster, 3rd | Melrose | Raymon S. Jr. and Annie E. |
| 4 | Eloise Marie Foley | Stoneham | James P. and Mary F. |
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| 5 | Mack Charles Giovanni | Melrose | Matteo and Charlotte M. |
| 6 | Earl Malcolm Stiles, Jr. | Stoneham | Earl M. and Edith B. |
| 7 | Carole Huwe | Everett | Frank and Evelyn E. |
| 8 | Richard Kazanjian | Medford | John and Victoria |
| 10 | Thomas Charles Finnegan | Stoneham | Harold T. and Dorothea C. |
| 11 | Marjorie Ann Hovey | Stoneham | Arthur E. Jr. and Beulah M. |
| 11 | Robert Arthur Dunbar | Medford | George M. and Anna M. |

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|----|----------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 12 | Jean Marie Truesdale. | Stoneham | David R. and Jean E. |
| 12 | Robert Edward Cruickshank | Stoneham | James E. and Margaret |
| 12 | Patricia Gwendolyn Shurian | Medford | Herman S. and Marie T. |
| 13 | Nancy Louise Hall | Wakefield | George W. and Dorothy M. |
| 14 | Marie Donato Tramondozzi | Malden | Robert and Concetta |
| 14 | _____ Shultz | Lancaster | James H. and Dorothy A. |
| 14 | Jacquelin Ann Hogan | Stoneham | James E. and Marjorie G. |
| 15 | _____ Marino | Somerville | Anthony and Mary |
| 15 | David Lane | New York, N. Y. | Chester T. and Persis |
| 15 | Francis Edward Chambers | Stoneham | Francis E. and Reta M. |
| 16 | Carolyn Ann Bossi | Boston | John A. and Linda E. |
| 16 | Douglass Longfellow Hoag | Melrose | Roderick W. and Gertrude R. |
| 16 | Mona Mary Mahama | Malden | Alexander A. and Antoinette |
| 17 | Ronald Waldemar Hanson | Melrose | Waldemar and Ruth J. |
| 17 | Ralph Henry Surette | Stoneham | Henry A. and Jacqueline |
| 19 | Marilyn Jean Pride | Medford | William A. Jr. and Martha V. |
| 20 | John Kempton White | Stoneham | Gilbert M. and Alice L. |
| 20 | June Lillian Brod | Medford | Charles W. and Olive A. |
| 21 | Florence Cynthia Kubler | Somerville | George F. and Florence |
| 22 | Kenneth Alton Bean | Stoneham | Malcolm R. and Lillian |
| 23 | Thomas Duff | Stoneham | John M. and Mary J. |
| 23 | David Vincent White | Stoneham | Edward F. and Emily G. |
| 23 | Charles Howard Holbrow | Stoneham | Frederick and Florence |
| 24 | Donald Victor Simpson | Stoneham | Victor R. and Hazel A. |
| 25 | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 26 | Shirley Ruth Grant | Boston | Parker A. and Mildred D. |

BIRTHS

| Date | Name | Residence | Parents |
|------|--------------------------------|------------|---------------------------|
| 27 | Carolyn Bemis Moller | Wakefield | Gustave C. and Dorothy E. |
| 27 | Carl Richard Pierotti | Everett | Hector J. and Mary R. |
| 28 | Claire Elaine Phinney | Stoneham | Gordon F. and Oneata B. |
| 29 | Anthony Donato Elia | Malden | Angelo and Mary |
| 30 | Louis Francis Pigeon, Jr. | Everett | Louis F. and Margaret J. |
| Oct. | | | |
| 1 | Harriett Elizabeth Boyd | Somerville | Noel T. and Elinor L. |
| 2 | David Thomas Hennigan | Malden | David T. and Kathryn J. |
| 2 | Joseph Charles Edouard Lessard | Everett | Joseph A. and Gilberte |
| 2 | William Joseph Flaherty | Stoneham | Michael J. and Mary |
| 3 | John Joseph Miller | Medford | Robert J. and Mary M. |
| 5 | Robert Eliot King | Stoneham | Lester S. and Jessie |
| 5 | William Clifton Wolley | Stoneham | Winthrop T. and Nettie E. |
| 6 | Gilbert Mills Soule | Stoneham | Gilbert M. and Barbara M. |
| 6 | William David Russell | Canada | William J. and Myrna E. |
| 6 | Adele Morin | Stoneham | Charles A. and Louise F. |
| 7 | Leonard John Blok | Malden | Leonard M. and Anna E. |
| 7 | Jean Irene Laghetto | Somerville | Louis and Clara L. |
| 9 | Rita Rouillard | Malden | Lloyd S. and Eva A. |
| 10 | Frank Anthony Consalvo | Boston | Vito and Dora |
| 12 | Mary Alice Mitchell | Malden | John J. and Mary A. |
| ____ | | | |
| 12 | Beverly Ann Murphy | Malden | Andrew A. and Ruth A. |
| 13 | Carol Ann Morin | Stoneham | George N. and Alice M. |

14 Marie Therese DeLorenzo

Thomas and Lena T.

Malden

14 —————
16 Joseph Richard Wright
16 Richard Callanan
17 Sheldon Frank Maga
18 Donald Arthur Mum
22 Eunice Marian Searles
22 Aurora Agnes Greco
22 Eleanor Ann Ewing
25 Michael Joel Leftin
26 Thomas Arthur Gill
27 —————
27 Joseph Harry Soucy
28 Guy Carl Silverio
28 Carl Sumner Rappaport
29 Adina Ann Richards
29 Frank Rocco Ultrino
30 Louise Ruth Turner
31 ————— Sutherland

Nov.

3 Ruth Elaine Knight
7 Lorraine LaDonna
7 Reginald LeRoy Richards, Jr.
7 ————— McCarthy
8 David Leon Hughes

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BIRTHS

| Date | Name | Residence | Parents |
|------|-----------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------|
| 10 | —— Harris | Saugus | John C. and Ruth |
| 11 | Benjamin Simcha Warren | Medford | Samuel T. and Celia S. |
| 11 | —— Warren | Medford | Theodore S. and Cecelia |
| 14 | Shirley Mary DeAngelis | Stoneham | Joseph A. and Dorothy G. |
| 15 | Patricia Ann O'Leary | Malden | Raymond J. and Anna L. |
| 15 | Enid Thacher Bassett | Stoneham | Alden L. and Emma L. |
| 18 | Patricia Ann Mullaney | Malden | Francis T. and Mary L. |
| 19 | Theodore Albert Outram, Jr. | Stoneham | Theodore A. and Doris G. |
| 20 | Patricia Fitzgibbon | Stoneham | Richard B. and Louise G. |
| 22 | Mary Elizabeth Adams | Everett | Phineas J. and Electa |
| 23 | Ann Lovering | Malden | Howard L. and Eunice |
| 23 | Diane Alicia McCully | Saugus | Kenneth F. and Anita |
| 24 | Frank Mangelinkx, Jr. | Boston | Frank and Louise G. |
| 25 | Norman Irwin Seigel | Malden | Harry and Etta |
| 25 | Douglas Swift Stuart | Melrose | Harold W. and Mary M. |
| 26 | Louise Comfort | Stoneham | Aram V. and Esther |
| 27 | Mary Frances Hodgdon | Malden | Charles R. and Margaret M. |
| 28 | Virginia Marie Waitt | Medford | Charles E. and Mary P. |
| 28 | Carolyn Lou Corliss | Stoneham | Ferdinand M. and Christina M. |
| 29 | Jane Gilbert | Melrose | Alton J. and Ruth M. |
| 30 | Guy Antonio Zaccioni, Jr. | Stoneham | Guy A. and Fannie |
| 30 | Beverly Jane Richardson | Stoneham | Erwin M. and Madeleine C. |
| Dec. | | | |
| 1 | Eugene Coleman Shepherd | Stoneham | Leslie and Bertha |
| 1 | Adam Charles Foster | Melrose | Robert B. and Alice F. |

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| 3 | Silvia Anna LaFrancesca | Stoneham |
| 4 | John Durkee Westhaver Jr. | Melrose |
| 4 | Leonard Charles Cantz, Jr. | Malden |
| 7 | Mary Lois Gardner | Medford |
| 9 | Jean Elizabeth Colangelo | Everett |
| 9 | ————— Saulner | Stoneham |
| 9 | Mary Josephine Santo | Stoneham |
| 10 | Gay Yvonne Thomas | Stoneham |
| 11 | ————— Pagliuca | Stoneham |
| 11 | Joan Marie O'Brien | Malden |
| 13 | ————— Nagle | Stoneham |
| 14 | Edward Joseph Melanson, Jr. | Everett |
| 14 | Geil Carole Pearson | Stoneham |
| 16 | Joseph Robert Basileesco | Everett |
| 17 | Joseph Edward Gaudet | Stoneham |
| 17 | Florence Ann Hurlburt | Stoneham |
| 19 | ————— Harrington | Malden |
| 21 | Beverly Ann Tulley | Malden |
| 22 | Charles Edwin Martin | Stoneham |
| 22 | Leslie Orlando Hammond, 3 ^r 1 | Reading |
| 23 | Beverly Ann Willett | Stoneham |
| 24 | Francis Taft Murray | Somerville |
| 24 | Mark Cloutier | Stoneham |
| 25 | Florence Ruth Pierotti | Wakefield |
| 26 | Carol Joyce Mahogany | Medford |
| 27 | Delores Ann Massaro | Malden |
| 75 | | |
| Giacomo and Anna M. | | |
| | John D. and Jean L. | |
| | Leonard C. and Helen P. | |
| | Frederick E. and Cynthia M. | |
| | Anthony J. and Maud F. | |
| | Amelus A. and Mary E. | |
| | Angelo and Amelia | |
| | Ralph D. and Barbara V. | |
| | Henry and Josephine | |
| | Alfred J. and Katherine | |
| | John H. and Annie T. | |
| | Edward J. and Pauline A. | |
| | Harold J. and Yvette A. | |
| | Potenza and Angelina R. | |
| | Joseph E. and Eva A. | |
| | Bernard P. and Nathalie A. | |
| | Michael J. and Ruth A. | |
| | John J. and Florence M. | |
| | Lewis M. and Lillian B. | |
| | Leslie O. Jr., and Grace V. | |
| | Herbert L. and Esther E. | |
| | Leo Martin and Mary E. | |
| | Elmer G. and Ruby E. | |
| | William A. and Ruth A. | |
| | Lester S. and Ethel M. | |
| | Alphonso and Jennie C. | |

| BIRTHS | | Parents | 132 |
|--------|------------------------|-------------------------|-----|
| Date | Name | | |
| 28 | Richard Thomas Waters | Daniel H. and Viola M. | |
| 29 | — Sullas | Peter and Christine | |
| 29 | Roger Wentworth Horton | Roger W. and Allison J. | |
| 31 | — Sears | Chester F. and Helen C. | |
| 31 | — Riseberg | George and Molly | |
| | Residents | | 233 |
| | Non-Residents | | — |
| | Total | | 365 |

MARRIAGES

| Date | Married At | Name | Residence |
|-----------------|------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|
| January | | | |
| 6 | Stoneham | Lawrence Joseph Burns | Stoneham |
| | | Mary Catherine Leary | Stoneham |
| 25 | Andover | Charles Thomas Quinlan | Stoneham |
| | | Viola May Muraco | Stoneham |
| 27 | Stoneham | Patrick Donarumo | Chelsea |
| | | Josephine Ann Zaccone | Stoneham |
| February | | | |
| 2 | E. Greenwich, R. I. | Elmer Andrew Turnquist | Stoneham |
| | | Dorothy May Romsey | Arlington |
| 3 | Stoneham | Richard Dennis Roche, Jr. | Everett |
| | | Nora Josephine Devaney | Stoneham |
| 10 | Barnstable | John Rogers Foss | Stoneham |
| | | Ruth Helen Martin | Stoneham |
| 21 | Cambridge | Maurice Howe Breagy | Stoneham |
| | | Anne Marie Kelliher | Cambridge |
| 23 | Malden | William Leonard Aldrich | Stoneham |
| | | Dorothy Helena Welch | Medford |
| March | | | |
| 1 | Arlington | Stephen Haseltine | Stoneham |
| | | Daphne Blanche Hughes | Arlington |
| April | | | |
| 1 | Stoneham | Lorenzo DiCicco | Medford |
| | | Maria Ann Eramo | Stoneham |
| 2 | Boston | Clinton Mortimer Marshall | Stoneham |
| | | Grace Eunice Stoddard | Stoneham |
| 6 | Malden | Wendell Gilmore Smith | Stoneham |
| | | Winifred Wright | Malden |
| 6 | Somerville | Horace Morse Chase | Stoneham |
| | | Marian Philippa deGruchy | Stoneham |
| 12 | Stoneham | Philip Brooks Vining | Wakefield |
| | | Louise Moriarty | Arlington, N. J. |
| 13 | Stoneham | Harry Lawrence Beohner | Forest Hills, N. Y. |
| | | Dora Rosamond Houghton | Stoneham |
| 16 | Wakefield | Raymond Stanly Habblitz | Melrose |
| | | Lilian Beatrice Wheatley | Stoneham |
| 21 | Stoneham | John Joseph Dwyer | Stoneham |
| | | Muriel Bolland | Stoneham |
| 21 | Stoneham | Raymond Lester Smith | Stoneham |
| | | Myrtle Agnes Young | Stoneham |
| 21 | Melrose | Eleuterio Longo | Stoneham |
| | | Eleanor Ann Wells | Melrose |
| 27 | Stoneham | Walter A. Wright | Saugus |
| | | Helen Cook | Saugus |

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| Date | Married At | Name | Residence |
|-------------|----------------------|----------------------------|--------------|
| May | | | |
| 3 | Stoneham | Samuel Harold Gould | Boston |
| | | Sylvia Lillian Gerrish | Stoneham |
| 19 | Stoneham | Henry Judge Flynn | Stoneham |
| | | Nettie Marjorie Rankin | Quincy |
| 19 | Providence, R. I. | Frederick Wagner Hammond | Stoneham |
| | | Dorothy Lillian Harding | Medford |
| 19 | Stoneham | Arthur Sumner Bent | Stoneham |
| | | Ruth Flora Allen | Boston |
| 19 | Melrose | David Jasper Stone | Stoneham |
| | | Marjorie Edna Abbott | Stoneham |
| 20 | Stoneham | Wilbur L. Neese | Watertown |
| | | Barbara Conti | Watertown |
| 27 | Stoneham | Paul Franklin Burgess | Stoneham |
| | | Anna Mae Elizabeth Riley | Stoneham |
| 28 | Stoneham | Peter Williams | Lawrence |
| | | Sophia Kwiatkowska | L. I., N. Y. |
| 28 | Stoneham | Alfred Adolphus Young | Stoneham |
| | | Mary Lena Meuse | Stoneham |
| June | | | |
| 1 | Stoneham | Philip Dudley | Stoneham |
| | | Marion Rita Lilley | Stoneham |
| 2 | Stoneham | Allen Maynard Robinson | Stoneham |
| | | Marcia Elisabeth Barnstead | Stoneham |
| 2 | Salem, N. H. | Henry J. Lindsey | Stoneham |
| | | Phyllis H. Cooke | Malden |
| 2 | Stoneham | Kenneth Malcolm Pierce | Stoneham |
| | | Helen Louise Brown | Stoneham |
| 9 | Medford | Charles Alfred Brewer | Stoneham |
| | | Genevieve Bernice Fay | Medford |
| 15 | Salem, N. H. | John E. Longo | Stoneham |
| | | Irene F. Donahue | Stoneham |
| 16 | Everett | Harold Lane Lewis | Stoneham |
| | | Doris Eliza Nash | Everett |
| 20 | Methuen | Edward John Gaudet | Malden |
| | | Eva Alfreda Mason | Stoneham |
| 22 | Lynn | Henry James Duffy | Stoneham |
| | | Dorothy Margaret Lee | Lynn |
| 22 | Sharon | Thomas Frederick Darville | Stoneham |
| | | Ruth Evelyn Arkerson | Stoneham |
| 23 | Springfield | William Adolph Bevan | Stoneham |
| | | Ethel Josephine Miller | Stoneham |
| 23 | Wilmington | Charles Daniel Saunders | Stoneham |
| | | Helen Elizabeth Gilson | Stoneham |

MARRIAGES

| Date | Married At | Name | Residence |
|---------------|------------------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| 23 | Stoneham | Arthur Vernon Pettengill | Stoneham |
| | | Hazel Ruth Luce | Lexington |
| 23 | Medford | Thomas Patrick Connors | Stoneham |
| | | Edna Veronica Babcock | Medford |
| 24 | Braintree | Charles Guy Lord | Braintree |
| | | Marcia Esther Soule | Stoneham |
| 29 | Stoneham | Francis Denis McCarthy | Chelsea |
| | | Helen Kathryn Canning | Stoneham |
| 29 | Somerville | Earle Franklin Potter | Stoneham |
| | | Mary Jane Brophy | Somerville |
| 30 | Stoneham | Frank Frongillo | Winchester |
| | | Carolina Adelle Vacca | Stoneham |
| July | | | |
| 8 | Stoneham | Garabed Mooradian | Stoneham |
| | | Hermine Mahlebjian | No. Andover |
| 11 | Hamilton | Ralph Faulkner Anderson | Stoneham |
| | | Bessie Florence McRae | Hamilton |
| 20 | Melrose | John Henry Hines | Wakefield |
| | | Nellie Elena Goodwin | Stoneham |
| August | | | |
| 2 | Reading | Paul Robert Bergholtz | Stoneham |
| | | Helen Marjorie Ritchie | Reading |
| 3 | Manchester, N. H. | Arthur Shay | Stoneham |
| | | Marie L. Hansen | Newton |
| 4 | Stoneham | James Maurice Keenan | Stoneham |
| | | Eleanor Veronica Kelly | Stoneham |
| 15 | Stoneham | Ernest Elmer Damon | Stoneham |
| | | Nora Elizabeth Cutter | Stoneham |
| 22 | Brookline, N. H. | William H. Porter | Watertown |
| | | June L. Brown | Stoneham |
| 29 | Hudson, N. H. | John H. Robinson | Stoneham |
| | | Catherine A. Driscoll | Stoneham |
| Sept. | | | |
| 1 | Stoneham | Rolland Wendell Kearney | Braintree |
| | | Mary Alice Hamill | Stoneham |
| 3 | Salem, N. H. | John Dangelis | Woburn |
| | | Beatrice Vaughan | Stoneham |
| 7 | Stoneham | Edwin Adow Wendell | Reading |
| | | Catherine Laura Doherty | Stoneham |
| 12 | Peterborough, N. H. | Marcus Kimball Goodridge | Stoneham |
| | | Bertha May Pierce | Stoneham |
| 14 | Stoneham | William Joseph Henshaw | Stoneham |
| | | Attala May Jones | Stoneham |

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| Date | Married At | Name | Residence |
|-------|-------------------|----------------------------|-----------------|
| Sept. | | | |
| 14 | Stoneham | Robert William Russell | Buffalo, N. Y. |
| | | Mildred Janet Clark | Stoneham |
| 19 | Stoneham | Richard Simon Muse | Wakefield |
| | | Christina Sadie Perry | Stoneham |
| 21 | Stoneham | Edgar Leonard Patch | Stoneham |
| | | Marjorie Upton Alley | Stoneham |
| 22 | Stoneham | John Edward Sumner | Stoneham |
| | | Rose Marie Houghton | Stoneham |
| 27 | Stoneham | James Duncan Blue | Reading |
| | | Mary Esther Logan | Stoneham |
| Oct. | | | |
| 1 | Stoneham | John George Pentland | Manchester, Ct. |
| | | Margaret McLean | Manchester, Ct. |
| 2 | Reading | Mervyn Vivian Thomas | Stoneham |
| | | Margaret Adrienne Bean | Stoneham |
| 9 | Wakefield | John Clifford Kehoe | Stoneham |
| | | Frances Catherine Fazio | Wakefield |
| 12 | Stoneham | Bernard Clarence Hurd | Boston |
| | | Gertrude Dillon | Stoneham |
| 12 | Stoneham | John Joseph Hannon | Medford |
| | | Eleanor Coe | Stoneham |
| 12 | Stoneham | Roger Thaxter Lincoln | Stoneham |
| | | Marion Gordon Gilson | Stoneham |
| 12 | Stoneham | Stanley James Labenski | Everett |
| | | Dorothy Elizabeth Ward | Stoneham |
| 19 | Melrose | Howard Leslie Dukeshire | Stoneham |
| | | Bernice Jane Wiggin | Stoneham |
| 19 | Beverly | Thomas Peter Devlin | Stoneham |
| | | Edwina Hill Connolly | Beverly |
| 20 | Cambridge | William John Paige | Stoneham |
| | | Gertrude Catherine Ring | Somerville |
| 24 | Stoneham | William Edward Rafferty | Stoneham |
| | | Helen Mary Marshall | Stoneham |
| 29 | Providence, R. I. | Edwin Bradford Hammond | Stoneham |
| | | Alma Frances Stickel | Wakefield |
| Nov. | | | |
| 2 | Stoneham | George Arthur Farrell | Reading |
| | | Myra Frances Riley | Medford |
| 2 | Stoneham | Searls Dearington | Daniels, Ct. |
| | | Margaret Cushman Woodman | Wakefield |
| 2 | Woburn | Lucius Allston | Boston |
| | | Eldean Hepburn | Stoneham |
| 9 | Stoneham | William F. Bekkenhuis, Jr. | Stoneham |

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| Date | Married At | Name | Residence |
|------|------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| 9 | Somerville | Muriel MacDonald Murray | Watertown |
| | | Joseph Michael Patelli | Verona, N. J. |
| | | Ruth Ann Collins | Stoneham |
| 10 | Medford | George Haskell Campbell | Stoneham |
| | | Dorothy Reginia Griffin | Medford |
| 16 | Melrose | John Henry Marwede | Belleville, N. J. |
| | | Amy Estelle Woods | Stoneham |
| 20 | Stoneham | Herbert Louis Willett | Stoneham |
| | | Esther Eloise Buckle | Stoneham |
| 24 | Boston | Thomas Edward Brassil, Jr. | Stoneham |
| | | Margaret Mary Toomey | Boston |
| 7 | Stoneham | Edward Everett Anderson | Malden |
| | | Mildred Rosamond Green | Stoneham |
| Dec. | | | |
| 15 | Stoneham | James Emerson Clain, Jr. | Stoneham |
| | | Bernice Wilson Blaisdell | Stoneham |
| 23 | Reading | Carl Joseph Bevilacqua | Stoneham |
| | | Filomena Elizabeth Lanzillo | Wakefield |
| 25 | Stoneham | George Henry Holden | Stoneham |
| | | Marion Esther Clough | Stoneham |

Total 91

DEATHS

| Date | Name | Residence | Yrs. | Mos. | Dys. |
|------|---------------------------|------------|------|------|------|
| Jan. | | | | | |
| 4 | Emily Augusta Howe | Winchester | 80 | 10 | 6 |
| 6 | Joseph H. White | Stoneham | 72 | 8 | 4 |
| 7 | Mary A. McDonough | Stoneham | 43 | — | — |
| 7 | Elbert Brooks Pickens | Stoneham | 54 | 5 | 25 |
| 8 | Oscar Wade Sweetland | Stoneham | 82 | 9 | 3 |
| 8 | Arthur Sylvester Guerin | Stoneham | 47 | — | 8 |
| 9 | — | — | — | — | — |
| 12 | John Francis Mahoney | Boston | 41 | 4 | 7 |
| 14 | John Bernard Graham | Boston | 66 | 9 | 24 |
| 17 | Laura Johnston | Boston | 61 | — | 17 |
| 20 | George William Newhall | Stoneham | 90 | — | 10 |
| 22 | Christine Elizabeth Hiatt | Stoneham | 60 | 1 | 4 |
| 22 | Arthur Gordon VanBuren | Stoneham | 70 | 8 | 17 |
| 26 | Mary Ella Wingood | Malden | 54 | 5 | 15 |
| 27 | Clara Adelia Bessey | Stoneham | 87 | 6 | 10 |
| 29 | Edward Elias Szpakowski | Malden | 52 | 5 | 27 |
| Feb. | | | | | |
| 1 | Maud Clark | Stoneham | 68 | 11 | 13 |
| 3 | Daniel O. Green | Stoneham | 74 | 10 | 15 |
| 5 | Henrietta Sophia Clark | Stoneham | 89 | 10 | 9 |
| 6 | Beulah A. Hanscom | Stoneham | 85 | 4 | 28 |
| 9 | Dorothy Mona Laskey | Malden | 47 | — | 6 |
| 9 | Nellie Henrietta Parsons | Stoneham | 65 | 7 | 8 |
| 12 | Joan H. McKenna | Stoneham | 1 | — | 4 |
| 13 | Florence Mabel Cornish | Stoneham | 49 | 3 | 7 |
| 16 | Warren Francis Hupper | Stoneham | 30 | 6 | 18 |
| 17 | Charles Anderson | Stoneham | 79 | 5 | 12 |
| 21 | John Williams | Stoneham | 37 | 1 | 10 |
| 22 | James Madison Thompson | Stoneham | 68 | 10 | 13 |
| 22 | — | — | — | — | — |
| 25 | Pauline Williams | Stoneham | 44 | 2 | 14 |
| 26 | — Walsh | Wakefield | — | — | 1 |
| 27 | George B. Clough | Stoneham | 69 | — | — |
| Mar. | | | | | |
| 1 | Bridget McGowan | Stoneham | 80 | — | — |
| 3 | Dora Carbee | Stoneham | 69 | 8 | 27 |
| 5 | Annie M. Reynolds | Stoneham | 68 | 2 | 16 |
| 6 | Susan C. Towle | Stoneham | 73 | 11 | 19 |
| 7 | Otto Henry Wendler | Melrose | 66 | 9 | 22 |
| 10 | Bessie Ellen Green | Lowell | 57 | 6 | 18 |
| 12 | Josephine Barlow | Reading | 43 | 7 | 24 |
| 12 | Ann A. Pierce | Stoneham | 63 | 1 | 12 |
| 13 | Sarah J. Dunbar | Stoneham | 73 | 8 | 29 |

DEATHS

| Date | Name | Residence | Ys. | Ms. | Ds. |
|-------------|---------------------------|-----------------|-----|-----|-----|
| 14 | Carrie Fuller Wass | Stoneham | 23 | 7 | 15 |
| 15 | Frederick Ulysses Smith | Stoneham | 66 | — | 12 |
| 17 | Mary Nicola | Rochester, N.H. | 66 | — | 3 |
| 20 | _____ | _____ | — | — | — |
| 20 | John McHale | Stoneham | 46 | 4 | 7 |
| Apr. | | | | | |
| 4 | Pasquale Capone | Wakefield | 62 | — | 13 |
| 6 | Edward F. Blockel | Stoneham | 64 | 1 | 21 |
| 8 | _____ | _____ | — | — | — |
| 10 | Frederick L. Howe | Stoneham | 58 | 5 | 11 |
| 10 | Payne Richardson | Stoneham | 84 | 10 | 17 |
| 12 | William A. Crowell | Stoneham | 76 | — | — |
| 13 | Lilly M. Moore | Stoneham | 57 | 3 | 2 |
| 14 | John E. Cullen | Stoneham | 65 | 7 | 9 |
| 24 | Frederick Albert Otto | Stoneham | 80 | — | — |
| 27 | _____ Tower | Stoneham | — | — | 1 |
| 29 | Anna Katherine Spreuer | Malden | 66 | 1 | 8 |
| 29 | Albert James Smith | Stoneham | 69 | 3 | 25 |
| 30 | Louise Garland | Malden | 49 | 2 | 22 |
| 30 | Thomas P. Abbott | Stoneham | 69 | — | 26 |
| 30 | Victor Stanislas Levesque | Salem | 35 | 4 | 8 |
| May | | | | | |
| 5 | Josephine G. Randlett | Stoneham | 68 | 10 | 14 |
| 10 | Ida M. Barnard | Stoneham | 72 | — | — |
| 10 | Isaac M. Waters | Stoneham | 63 | 6 | 26 |
| 11 | James Mustone | Stoneham | — | 4 | 10 |
| 13 | _____ | _____ | — | — | — |
| 14 | Mary Elizabeth Driscoll | Stoneham | 23 | 8 | 14 |
| 15 | Robert Frank Howe | Melrose | — | — | 1 |
| 16 | Delia Enwright | Medford | 82 | 5 | 21 |
| 16 | Mabel Trask Polk | Woburn | 52 | 6 | 24 |
| 17 | Alice Fletcher Shute | Stoneham | 77 | 5 | 10 |
| 19 | James F. Cogan | Stoneham | 63 | 1 | 19 |
| 19 | Edward White | Stoneham | 66 | — | — |
| 20 | Cora L. Blomquist | Stoneham | 44 | — | — |
| 20 | Annie Vitagliano | Everett | 16 | — | 19 |
| 24 | Sarah MacMillan | Malden | 61 | 5 | — |
| 27 | Sarah O'Malley | Stoneham | 66 | 4 | 6 |
| 27 | Minnie Pekowsky | Stoneham | 41 | — | — |
| 28 | William E. Kiley | Somerville | 41 | — | 3 |
| 28 | Charlotte Louise Thompson | Malden | 1 | 6 | 5 |
| 29 | Albertina Laukkanen | Townsend | 76 | 6 | 24 |
| 30 | Alice Jane Pierce | Stoneham | 92 | 9 | 26 |
| 30 | Blanchie Hurd Marcy | Stoneham | 74 | 3 | 9 |

DEATHS

| Date | Name | Residence | Ys. | Ms. | Ds. |
|-------------|--------------------------|---------------|-----|-----|-----|
| June | | | | | |
| 1 | Percy V. Swales | Stoneham | 40 | 10 | — |
| 2 | Michael J. Counihan | Stoneham | 87 | 9 | 10 |
| 3 | Elsie Meagher | Stoneham | 83 | 10 | 24 |
| 3 | Phoebe Hannah Roberts | Stoneham | 80 | 11 | 24 |
| 6 | Luter H. Clark | Stoneham | 66 | 1 | 14 |
| 6 | Edna Pauline Bergholtz | Stoneham | 23 | 5 | 14 |
| 7 | John Frederick Greenberg | Stoneham | 57 | 7 | 6 |
| 7 | — | — | — | — | — |
| 11 | Ada F. Williams | Malden | 76 | 7 | 14 |
| 11 | Frank Leeman Tabbut | Stoneham | 77 | 4 | 23 |
| 13 | Abbie Maria Robinson | Stoneham | 86 | 10 | 27 |
| 13 | Arvilla M. Downey | Stoneham | 36 | 6 | 8 |
| 18 | Dora Jewett | Stoneham | 83 | 9 | 5 |
| 19 | Carmilla Johnson | Somerville | 26 | 6 | 8 |
| June | | | | | |
| 20 | Sarah C. Thompson | Stoneham | 53 | — | — |
| 21 | A. Christine Dalton | Stoneham | 53 | 8 | 23 |
| 23 | Ruth Taylor Martin | Stoneham | 69 | — | — |
| 24 | Fred Arthur Smith | Medford | 67 | 7 | 19 |
| 24 | Emma Locke | Melrose | 76 | 11 | 24 |
| 26 | Lizzie Abigail Taylor | Stoneham | 51 | 7 | 28 |
| 29 | Ephraim Louis Hamel | Melrose | 76 | — | 5 |
| 30 | Elizabeth Scott Atkinson | Stoneham | 83 | 11 | 2 |
| July | | | | | |
| 2 | Isabel Lowe Russell | Medford | 54 | 10 | 20 |
| 5 | Orin James Smith | Stoneham | 63 | — | — |
| 8 | Phoebe Babbitt Smith | Candia, N. H. | 70 | 4 | 26 |
| 8 | Jessie Hooper Walker | Stoneham | 75 | 8 | 7 |
| 9 | Leander Manchester Clark | Stoneham | 56 | 9 | 18 |
| 10 | Elijah Mendelson | Malden | 60 | — | — |
| 10 | Coleman C. Winchester | Stoneham | 57 | 3 | 8 |
| 13 | Douglas Hansen Ross | Stoneham | 2 | 6 | 16 |
| 13 | Gussie Pearl | Brookline | 76 | 8 | — |
| 14 | Joseph Odoardi, Jr. | Malden | — | — | 1 |
| 18 | Hazel H. Cutts | Stoneham | 37 | 7 | 19 |
| 18 | Frank S. Mansur | Boston | 77 | 2 | — |
| 19 | Alice Christine Trickey | Malden | — | — | 1 |
| 20 | Harry W. Smith | Stoneham | 52 | — | — |
| 31 | James E. Connell | Stoneham | 66 | 5 | 29 |
| Aug. | | | | | |
| 3 | Anna Katherina Parikka | Riverton, Ct. | 59 | 4 | 5 |
| 7 | — | — | — | — | — |
| 7 | Emma B. Gray | Stoneham | 76 | 10 | 27 |

DEATHS

| Date | Name | Residence | Ys. | Ms. | Ds. |
|--------------|------------------------|----------------|-----|-----|-----|
| 8 | Lottie Hanley | Stoneham | 64 | — | — |
| 12 | Mary Gay | Stoneham | 77 | 8 | 18 |
| 15 | Georginna Augusta Otto | Stoneham | 88 | 6 | 7 |
| 19 | Mary Ellen Ames | Stoneham | 95 | — | 19 |
| 21 | Olive E. Gilman | Stoneham | 38 | — | — |
| 24 | Della Frances Sweet | Stoneham | 59 | 6 | 2 |
| 25 | Henry William Donovan | Stoneham | 81 | — | — |
| 28 | _____ | _____ | — | — | — |
| 30 | John P. Hylan | Stoneham | 65 | — | 3 |
| Sept. | | | | | |
| 2 | _____ | _____ | — | — | — |
| 6 | Emma P. Sparks | Chelsea | 74 | 4 | 27 |
| 6 | George A. Wilkins | Malden | 79 | 10 | 15 |
| 7 | Robert Wesley Parrish | Everett | 82 | — | — |
| 8 | Mary Jane Shea | Stoneham | 78 | 2 | 9 |
| 9 | Harry James Anderson | Stoneham | 53 | 7 | 11 |
| 10 | Henry Dickenson | Stoneham | 63 | 7 | 21 |
| 12 | Frances Doucette | Stoneham | 79 | — | — |
| 13 | Harry Green | Stoneham | 61 | 7 | 19 |
| 13 | Susie Mary Green | Stoneham | 80 | 9 | 25 |
| 15 | _____ Marino | Somerville | — | — | 1 |
| 19 | Jeanette Gregor | Somerville | 22 | 11 | 7 |
| 21 | James Jackson | Stoneham | 71 | 5 | 5 |
| 21 | Damina Benoit | Stoneham | 70 | — | — |
| 22 | Lila Dickenson | Stoneham | 68 | 8 | 2 |
| 24 | Franklin L. Mayo | Stoneham | 72 | 3 | 30 |
| 27 | Harriett G. Adams | Stoneham | 79 | 10 | — |
| Oct. | | | | | |
| 2 | Shirley Mae Reardon | Newport, N. H. | — | 1 | 8 |
| 8 | Addie Mohan | Stoneham | 62 | — | — |
| 12 | _____ | _____ | — | — | — |
| 14 | _____ | _____ | — | — | — |
| 16 | Maude Paget McGrath | Ashby | 61 | — | 8 |
| 18 | Ruth A. Moakler | Stoneham | 89 | 11 | 28 |
| 18 | Albert Simeon Holman | Stoneham | 69 | — | 16 |
| 18 | Joseph Cardone | Stoneham | 4 | 5 | 1 |
| 19 | Alfred Lyman Gooch | Wakefield | 55 | 6 | 8 |
| 23 | Cora McIntire | Burlington | 66 | — | 21 |
| 24 | Charles H. Severance | Stoneham | 56 | 4 | 14 |
| 25 | Apert Karakashian | Stoneham | 70 | — | — |
| 25 | Dennis John Tompkins | Stoneham | 82 | 11 | 20 |
| 26 | _____ Gill | Everett | — | — | 1 |
| 26 | Hannah Orinda Davis | Stoneham | 86 | 3 | 14 |

DEATHS

| Date | Name | Residence | Yrs. | Mos. | Dys. |
|------|----------------------------|----------------|------|------|------|
| 27 | | | — | — | — |
| 27 | Kieran Richard Gavin | Stoneham | 7 | 10 | 14 |
| 31 | George Allen Ramey | Stoneham | 64 | 7 | 27 |
| Nov. | | | — | — | — |
| 2 | Hilda Dorothy Stroleen | Lynn | 54 | 9 | 26 |
| 6 | Julian Kelly | Stoneham | 29 | 11 | 5 |
| 9 | | | — | — | — |
| 10 | George Willett Trenholm | Stoneham | 56 | 2 | 1 |
| 10 | Sarah Evelyn Maraspin | Newton | 78 | 9 | 9 |
| 10 | Lepha Luella Temple | Stoneham | 75 | 3 | 1 |
| 11 | Chester A. Merrifield | Stoneham | 51 | 2 | 13 |
| 14 | Elizabeth May Haslam | Wellesley | 54 | — | 20 |
| 17 | Eli D'Entremont | Stoneham | 67 | 10 | 2 |
| 18 | Henry James Crosby | Stoneham | 69 | 4 | 14 |
| 18 | Thomas A. Riley | Stoneham | 47 | 4 | 11 |
| 28 | James Wendall Conroy | Stoneham | 54 | 7 | — |
| 30 | George R. Schwartz | Stoneham | 27 | 7 | 27 |
| Dec. | | | — | — | — |
| 1 | Mary Clark | Stoneham | 32 | — | — |
| 2 | Laura Barton | Stoneham | 49 | 1 | 18 |
| 4 | Charles Forrest Dinsmore | Stoneham | 69 | 8 | 14 |
| 5 | Andrew Emil Anderson | Stoneham | 36 | 5 | 7 |
| 8 | Maria Louise Hamilton Howe | Malden | 84 | 9 | 17 |
| 9 | William P. Gorman | Winthrop | 41 | 11 | 20 |
| 10 | Anthony M. Caggiano | Revere | 48 | — | 8 |
| 11 | Sarah Elizabeth Pratt | Framingham | 51 | 1 | 2 |
| 11 | Genevieve Euphrasia McGlue | Boston | 45 | 9 | 11 |
| 13 | Henrietta Pagluicia | Stoneham | — | — | 2 |
| 14 | Joan Marie O'Brien | Malden | — | — | 3 |
| 16 | Hagopos Jacob Proodian | Stoneham | 64 | — | 1 |
| 19 | John J. Miller | Medford | — | 2 | 16 |
| 23 | Theodore Augustus Fletcher | Stoneham | 67 | — | — |
| 23 | Jeanne Frances Carroll | Stoneham | 75 | 5 | 18 |
| 24 | James H. McDermott | Elizabeth, Va. | 61 | 10 | 25 |
| 24 | Sarah Ann Collins | Stoneham | 74 | 5 | 28 |
| 25 | Julia D. Rogers | Stoneham | 89 | 10 | 20 |
| 26 | Augusta Nelson | Stoneham | 82 | 7 | 1 |
| 28 | Flora Eva Gaffney | Gloucester | 72 | 1 | 2 |
| 29 | Edward Melvin Smith | Stoneham | 62 | 4 | 26 |
| 31 | Elizabeth Eli Martin | Everett | 64 | 4 | 13 |
| | Residents | | | | 133 |
| | Non-Residents | | | | 68 |
| | Total | | | | 201 |

REPORT OF BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

Following please find the annual report of the Board of Public Welfare for the year 1935.

The Board organized as follows:

Charles E. Ames, Chairman

Alton W. Estes, Secretary

Hugh A. Dougherty, Clerk

The following appointments were made:

Dr. James Blenkhorn, Town Physician

William H. Rolfe, Supt. of Town Infirmary

Gertrude Rolfe, Matron of Town Infirmary

Daniel Cullinane, Agent & Investigator

The former practice of appointing one of the Board as agent of the Infirmary was discontinued as not in accordance with present day practices and the Superintendent of the Infirmary was given full authority to conduct all business at the home. Periodical visits were made to the home by all members of the Board and the Superintendent met with the Board monthly to discuss matters of policy and general interest.

The question of establishing the settlement status of all cases continues to be one of the most troublesome items and consumes a large part of the investigator's time in order that the interests of the taxpayers may be safeguarded. It is often necessary to follow some cases for several months with close attention to detail, requiring much correspondence and personal conferences with officials of the State and other cities and towns, before a satisfactory agreement is reached. This condition is recognized by all connected with welfare work, and State officials have attempted to improve the situation by change in legislation, but up to the present time nothing definite has resulted.

Following the practice of last year all applications are made in person to the agent, who has authority to grant temporary relief, subsequent to which the Board, at its weekly meetings, reviews the same and either approves the action or suggests such changes as appear warranted.

We are still called upon to furnish many detailed reports and information by telephone and mail which requires the full time service of a clerk. It has been possible to comply with these requirements accurately and promptly only because of the great amount of time devoted to establishing suitable card records and filing systems by Mr. Dougherty of the Board, who has cheerfully contributed his services without financial renumeration.

COMPARATIVE COSTS OF 1934 and 1935

| Classification: | 1934 | 1935 | Increase | Decrease |
|--|------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Outside Relief | | | | |
| Food | 7,383.78 | 8,668.40 | 1,284.62 | |
| Fuel | 1,373.09 | 3,580.69 | 2,207.60 | |
| Rent | 6,090.44 | 6,419.76 | 329.32 | |
| Clothing | 481.74 | 571.36 | 89.62 | |
| Medicine | 1,089.72 | 1,385.03 | | |
| Hospitalization | | 1,818.20 | 1,613.51 | |
| Board | 585.99 | 719.15 | 133.16 | |
| Lights | — | — | — | |
| Nursing & Home | | | | |
| Care | 8.00 | 745.52 | 737.52 | |
| Burials | 593.00 | 310.00 | | 283.00 |
| Cash | 10,899.67 | 10,263.08 | | 636.59 |
| Misc. Exp. | | 20.00 | 20.00 | |
| ERA & WPA | 557.26 | — | | 557.26 |
| Welfare Store | 114.05 | .56 | | 113.49 |
| Seed | 15.05 | — | | 15.05 |
| Hospital transport. | 1.50 | — | | 1.50 |
| Moving | — | — | — | |
| Federal Coal | 1,251.50 | — | | 1,251.50 |
| Paid to Outside Cities and Towns: | 4,386.47 | 4,201.55 | | 184.92 |
| Administration: | | | | |
| Agent | 1,230.00 | 1,250.16 | 20.16 | |
| Clerk | 649.38 | 693.33 | 43.95 | |
| Office expense | 385.07 | 252.12 | | 132.95 |
| Town Physician: | 500.00 | 750.00 | 250.00 | |
| Infirmary: | 7,748.70 | 8,257.62 | 508.92 | |
| TOTAL | 45,344.41 | 49,406.53 | 7,238.38 | 3,176.26 |
| Increase over 1934 | 4,062.12 | | | 4,062.12 |
| | | | | |
| | 49,406.53 | 49,406.53 | 7,238.38 | 7,238.38 |

An analysis of our detailed expense report will show that while there are increases of some size in the food, fuel and hospitalization items, there are offsetting reductions in several other accounts, which brings the final increase to some \$4,000 most of which can be attributed to delayed payments on E. R. A. and W. P. A. government activities. As a matter of fact, up to as late as December 1, 1935, it appeared that we would be able to carry through on our original allotment, but due to changing over from E. R. A. to W. P. A., with consequent delayed payments, some running as high as five weeks, it was necessary to expend

some \$2,000.00 over and above the original amount estimated. This made it necessary to request the Finance and Advisory Board for an extra amount so that all outstanding bills for 1935 could be cared for during the calendar year. It is, of course, unfortunate that these payments were delayed, as it not only caused hardship to the workers, but tremendously increased the work of the Agent and the Board in general. However, it should cause those interested enough to read this report, an opportunity to realize just what might happen if the practice of furnishing Federal assistance through work or some other relief agency was discontinued.

Even with the large amount of clothing and government food-stuffs which were distributed it was found necessary to purchase such articles as shoes, rubbers, underwear, etc., not furnished by government agencies.

Recipients of aid were required to work at the Town Infirmary where additional crops were raised and furnished to those so entitled, on the basis of the number in the family. A list showing the kinds and amounts will be found under the Infirmary report.

In addition to this, several alterations in the buildings and a new drainage system, which was sorely needed, was completed with labor in return for aid rendered. A more detailed account of these changes may be found under the Infirmary report.

The hospitalization and medical account runs high, and at first glance might be questioned, but when it is understood that only Stoneham settled cases are cared for at the New England Sanitarium without payment, it can readily be seen that cases of the State and other cities and towns must be financed from the Welfare appropriation, and when paid for by them it is returned to the Town through the treasurer. Advantage was also taken in all possible cases of the Annie Brown free beds at the Winchester and Massachusetts General Hospitals. Also, in practically all cases, even those at the New England Sanitarium, it is necessary to pay extra charges for medicine, special treatments, x-rays and similar items. Outside of one or two cases at Tewksbury and one at Pondville, no individual case has caused a large expenditure, but the overall cost runs high due to the number cared for.

One or two outstanding cases of nursing, together with several minor cases, have resulted in spending over \$700 on this item. That we were able to keep this down to this amount was due to the advantage being taken of an E. R. A. nursing project, but due again to a change in E. R. A. plans, wherein no money was available on E. R. A., we had to assume the expense of twenty-four hour service, as the patient was in no condition to be even transported in an ambulance to a hospital.

Burial expense was decreased \$283 due to a smaller number of deaths.

Cash expenditures were decreased some \$600 by carefully analyzing and deciding each case on its own merits without imposing undue hardship on the recipients.

In 1934 it was necessary to expend something over \$550.00 for E. R. A. work performed by members of the Board which was unnecessary during 1935 on account of re-organizing this work, thus saving this amount on the Welfare appropriation.

In 1934, over \$1,250.00 was spent to deliver coal received from the Federal government. Failure to receive coal on this basis during 1935 meant that it was necessary to purchase considerable quantities, which, together with what oil was used, caused an increase in fuel expense of approximately \$2,200.00, part of which is offset by the \$1,250.00 spent in 1934 to deliver Federal coal, which means that the increase is about \$1,000.00. That this amount is not greater, is due to the co-operation of the Board of Health in allowing us to have the wood cut from the land recently purchased fr a dump. Further detail of this is covered in the Infirmary report.

Our policy of paying such rents as can be justified is continued on the basis that the maximum amount will not exceed \$20.00 per month, and if the recipients are able to pay part of that, they are required to do so. For such part as we assume, labor is given at the Town Infirmary, as explained elsewhere in this report. That this policy is only fair to landlords, is exemplified by the fact that many other cities and towns, who formerly adopted one means or another to appear to avoid paying rent, are now handling the cases in the same manner we are.

In 1935 the practice of allocating the Agent's, Clerk's, and office expense to Welfare and Old Age Assistance, in accordance with the percentage of each class of work handled, was adopted on the theory that each should show their respective costs.

There was an increase of \$250.00 in 1935 for the Town Physician, which in our minds is fully justified by the number of cases handled and visits made, all of which were done cheerfully, and it should also be borne in mind that a portion of this is returned to the town on such cases that are billed to other cities and towns.

Bills received from other cities and towns have been processed for inclusion in the 1935 accounts, and arrangements will be made with such cities and towns that owe us money ,to exchange checks so that both accounts will be cleared.

On January 1, 1935 ,there was over \$8,550.00 due the town on bills incurred prior to 1934. This amount was reduced by collections and adjustments to \$5,926.72 on December 31, 1935, resulting in a decrease of over \$2,600.00.

Amounts due the Town for 1934 accounts represent \$527.39, and for 1935, other cities and towns and the State owe us \$8,425.85. These items are subject to constant attention, but due to many complications require much detailed research before a final agreement can be attained.

The following table shows the analysis of Welfare cases as of January 1, 1935, July 1, 1935 and December 31, 1935:

COMPARISON OF CASE LOAD—1935

| | Cases Jan. 1, 1935 | Cases July 1, 1935 | Cases Dec. 31, 1935 |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Children boarded | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Sick & infirm | 15 | 22 | 22 |
| Mother's Aid | 6 | 6 | 7 |
| Supplementary to Federal projects | 36 | 33 | 132 |
| Supplementary to private income | 1 | — | 4 |
| Aged & infirm (light work).... | 10 | 2 | 1 |
| Deserted families | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| Unemployed but employable | 4 | 2 | 9 |
| — | — | — | — |
| | 79 | 71 | 181 |

During the year the Federal government furnished food and clothing. This was distributed to the needy of the town through our store on Central Street. All orders for government food and clothing were given out through the agent. Help for the actual distribution was arranged through the E. R. A. When the W. P. A. began to function the distribution of surplus food and clothing was taken over by them through their own commissary at W. P. A. headquarters. All applicants for government food and clothing must be certified by this Board. See E. R. A. administrator's report for detailed list.

The vegetables grown at the Town Infirmary were disbursed through our welfare store to all welfare recipients and E. R. A. workers whose earnings were below their family budget. The report of the Infirmary has a detailed list covering vegetables given out through this source.

The Board appreciates the assistance and cooperation of the officials and staff of the New England Sanitarium as well as all town boards, officials and employees who have made it possible for us to carry on our work with a minimum amount of difficulties.

In conclusion, we would like to say that an endeavor has been made to determine and handle each case on its own merit without partiality, having always in mind that an obligation is due the

taxpayers as well as those who are unfortunate enough to seek assistance.

The records of the office are in excellent condition and up to date. Correspondence and inquiries are handled with celerity and dispatched, regularly. Regular office hours are maintained which makes it possible for those seeking aid to be interviewed by the agent with a minimum amount of embarrassment, all of which tends towards an orderly operation of a problem, which in the past few years has changed materially.

The Board meets each week on Thursday evening and is available to applicants who feel that a review of their particular problem is warranted. The Board also welcomes visits from any interested citizens who desire information or feel they have something to present that will assist in solving this more or less difficult situation.

Respectfully submitted by the
Board of Public Welfare,
Stoneham, Massachusetts.

CHARLES E. AMES, Chairman
ALTON W. ESTES, Secretary
HUGH A. DOUGHERTY, Clerk

December 31, 1935.

Board of Public Welfare

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report for the year ending Dec. 31, 1935:

| | |
|---|-------|
| Number of inmates being cared for Dec. 31, 1935 | 17 |
| Largest number of inmates at one time | 22 |
| Total number of inmate days for the year | 6,322 |
| Number discharged to their own care | 1 |
| Number discharged to other institutions | 3 |
| Number of deaths | 1 |
| Number of dinners given to unemployed | 891 |

To cover an emergency health and sanitation problem we requested and obtained \$500.00 from the emergency fund. The cesspool was converted into a septic tank of cement construction, the soil pipe leads were straightened to allow more freedom to sewerage flow, and an open ditch was dug and beveled to a natural grade. This ditch is 650 feet long and will serve to handle any overflow as well as drain six acres of land where water has laid until late in the summer, which, together with the overflow of the cesspool, was a menace.

We are fitting a portion of the cellar into a men's room, with toilet, shower and extra windows for light and ventilation, which when completed, will afford a suitable rest and work room for the men inmates.

In the house an old chimney was removed 8 feet below and 4 feet above the roof, and the opening was patched and shingled. The water pipes to the kitchen sink were cased in to prevent freezing.

We have requested a sidewalk project on Elm Street in front of the Infirmary property, running the full frontage, as well as a sidewalk to the house. This we consider most essential, as at the present time the inmates as well as the town people must walk in the roadway in order to reach the house, which is a distance of 600 feet and is dangerous.

The Board had a painting project, and 70% of the interior of the house has been painted and ceilings whitened, costing this department \$108.00 for material.

We are requesting that the barn be re-shingled, as for the past five years it has required patching. The present shingles are very brittle and the figure covers labor and material, and would call for a first class job. However, if not done this summer, it can only be put off for a short time.

A portable partition was installed in the barn to insure more warmth for the cows and horses.

Water pipes were cased to prevent freezing. Manure piles were re-located to conform with the State regulations. The men's toilet in the barn was done away with.

A tool house was built from old lumber from the Emerson Street house torn down by the Welfare department last year. Labor was supplied by E. R. A. and extra material was supplied by the Welfare department, amounting to \$86.54.

From the new dump property we hauled 65 loads of wood to the Infirmary which was sawed into stove lengths and delivered to needy families.

From previous tree trimming projects an accumulation of scrap wood, 43 additional loads were hauled, sawed and delivered, making a total of 108 loads. The expense to this department was \$40.00 for axes and wedges. The wood was delivered to Welfare cases from which the town will be reimbursed \$72.00.

We still hope that the truck will last until the Town meeting, at which time we expect to request a new truck. In addition to handling material for the Federal sewing project, food supplies, hauling of wood and delivery of same, it has to perform general work at the farm, and it is in such condition that it costs more to operate than a new one would.

Upon my recommendation, the herd of ten cows was traded for three thoroughbred young cows, two of which are now producing as much milk as the former herd, and the other is to come into

milking in about six weeks. This allowed us to dispense with the hiring of pasture land, which has instituted a saving of \$50.00 per year and less cattle to care for.

The following is a list of vegetables delivered to the Welfare store for distribution to needy cases:

344 bushels carrots; 49 bushels summer squash; 30 bushels onions; 36 bushels string beans; 20 bushels apples; 35 bushels spinach; 43 bushels turnips; 56 bushels tomatoes; 109 bushels beets; 8247 pounds cabbage; 3167 pounds squash; 4275 pounds potatoes; 1020 dozen corn.

Christmas was made more cheerful for the inmates by gifts, visitations and entertainment from the Dean Class, Catholic Women's Club, Miss Steel's class, St. Patrick's band, Stoneham Garden Club, Parker the florist, Jr. Red Cross, Louis Shanteler and Leo Fournier.

I wish to thank the above organizations, also the Board of Public Welfare and other town officials for their cooperation and interest taken during the past year, as well as organizations and individuals who have in any manner helped to make things more pleasant for the residents of the Infirmary.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. ROLFE,

REPORT OF BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Supt. Town Infirmary.

To the Citizens of the Town of Stoneham

The Bureau of Old Age Assistance submits its 5th annual report.

The Bureau is organized as follows:

HUGH A. DOUGHERTY, Chairman

ALTON W. ESTES, Secretary

CHARLES E. AMES, Clerk

On January 1, 1935 there were 56 persons receiving Old Age Assistance. During the year there were 16 new cases added and eight were closed out as follows: 5 moved to other cities and towns, and 3 deceased, this making a total increase of eight cases for the year.

However, we would like to state now that up to the present time there is no such a thing as old age pension, and it seems difficult to explain that such does not exist. Aid rendered is assistance, not pension, and is given only in the case of need through this Bureau. However, last August a change was made, reducing the time in the state from 20 years to 5 years out of the last 9 years, but no change is made in the age limit. Applicants must be 70 years of age.

Total number of applications received during the year 38
Total number of applications accepted and assistance granted 16

| | |
|--|----|
| Total number of applications rejected | 13 |
| Total number of applications filed but not completed | 9 |

The work is well organized, and reports, bills, communications, etc., are readily handled.

Many on our rolls require medical attention and hospitalization and are cared for by the town physician, Dr. Blenkhorn, and the New England Sanitarium and Hospital, and we extend our profuse thanks to them for their hearty cooperation.

Many cases require ambulance service which has been cheerfully furnished by the police department, to whom we also extend our thanks.

It requires considerable attention by the agent and the office owing to the difficulty in proving residence, birth, marriage, divorce, separation and various family ties, which must be proven by records in order that assistance may be forthcoming. This information is required by law, and all applications must be approved by the State Bureau of Old Age Assistance, who investigate each case through their own agent independent of our own investigation, therefore necessitating a thorough investigation before approval.

Information is gladly furnished by the agent and the Board meets every Thursday evening for further inquiries or information.

It has been a pleasure to serve in the past year, and we have endeavored to judge all requests fairly.

In 1936 we expect a decided increase due to a change in the laws, but we have not based our figures on other possible changes that may arise. We are handling our work to the best of our ability with fairness to all, and wish to thank the various town officials and individuals who have in any way assisted in our work.

Respectfully submitted by the
Bureau of Old Age Assistance,
Stoneham, Massachusetts.

HUGH A. DOUGHERTY, Chairman
ALTON W. ESTES, Secretary
CHARLES E. AMES, Clerk.

TREE WARDEN'S REPORT

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

I herewith submit my report as Tree Warden and Moth Superintendent for the year ending December 31, 1935.

In both the Moth and Shade Tree Departments the results accomplished were greatly increased through the co-operation of the Emergency Relief Administration in furnishing labor.

The sum of \$1,419.81 was spent on shade tree work.

Throughout the year much trimming was done. This work was confined chiefly to the removal of dead or diseased wood from otherwise healthy trees. Because of the menace to our elms special care was given to this work on the elms.

Considerable work was done in the removal of trees which because of disease, menace to safety, or for some other reason were deemed undesirable.

In connection with the nation wide campaign to combat the spread of the Dutch Elm Disease all elms in the town were subjected to five inspections throughout the season and specimens from forty seven elms were sent to the Dutch Elm Disease Laboratory at Amherst, Mass. for examination. The results of these examinations prove beyond a doubt that at present there is no trace of the disease in Stoneham, although the American Elm Bark Beetle (*Scolytus multistriatus*) and the European Elm Bark Beetle (*Scolytus scolytus*) which killed many of the elms on the grounds of Harvard University were both found here.

This year two hundred and twenty seven trees were planted, one hundred and two on the streets of Stoneham, and twenty five on the Pomeworth Street Playgrounds.

The sum of \$4,444.10 was expended for moth work.

The work of scouting for the Brown-tail and the egg masses of the Gypsy-moth and Tent Caterpillar was carried on throughout the winter, spring, and fall.

The regular fruit tree and roadside spraying was done.

The Elm Leaf Beetle proved to be a very troublesome pest this year. It was necessary to spray some of the elms twice in order to avoid total defoliation.

A new 150 gallon sprayer was purchased in May. It has given very satisfactory service.

Respectfully submitted,
PERCIVAL H. WARDWELL,
Tree Warden and Superintendent of Moth Work.

REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

December 31, 1935

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The Planning Board held many regular and special meetings during the current year to consider town planning and other matters of civic importance. The Board also held public hearings on articles appearing in the warrant for regular and special town meetings relative to zoning amendments. The Board also reported at the September special meeting concerning the erection of various municipal buildings. During the year the Board has rendered the Board of Selectmen its opinion on various matters. The members of the Board take this opportunity to thank Town Counsel Luther Hill and the Honorable Board of Selectmen for their co-operation in various problems arising during the year.

Many joint meetings of the Planning Boards of Reading, Wakefield, Stoneham and other towns regarding the relocation of Route 128, also called the circumferential highway around Boston. A committee was appointed from the various Boards represented and Mr. John J. Sullivan was appointed to represent the local Board.

Early in the year Mr. George E. MacNeil, Jr. was appointed a committee of one to investigate the possibilities of utilizing a part of the Fells Reservation as a winter sports playground. As the result of his investigation a survey is being made by the Emergency Planning Board after the completion of which the matter will be presented to the Metropolitan District Commission and the General Court for possible adoption. Mr. MacNeil has recommended that the vicinity of the Bear Hill Observatory might serve as the most suitable location for a winter sports playground.

The planning Board was represented at all hearings at the State House regarding the bill introduced by Representative Milano for the maintenance of a bathing beach at Dark Hollow Pond in the Fells Reservation. The bill was passed for a study by the Ways and Means Committee and will be reported back during the next session of the legislature. During the year Representative Milano attended several meetings of the Board for the discussion of community affairs.

During the month of November the Board sponsored a lecture at the High School on zoning by-laws.

In November the Board began a comprehensive study and survey of the Civic Center and adjacent property. A committee composed of Messrs. John J. Sullivan, Theodore F. Moore and William A. Garside was appointed to forthwith prepare plans

and make recommendations for its development which was also to include plans for the Gould Meadow. As the result of careful study the following preliminary report was submitted by the committee, to wit:

December 11, 1935.

"As a definite result of the committees' work, a map of the central part of Stoneham is presented for consideration, indicating a possible future development of that section covering the territory contiguous to the Civic Center and the Gould Meadow. A study of the map (presented herewith) will give an idea of the general features of the plan, therefore, a detailed description has been omitted.

"No specific time limit has been set for the accomplishment of the complete picture. It is recognized that such a program will and should be extended over a period of many years. This plan, accordingly, is submitted only as a guide to future steps in the development of that portion of the town to the end that our efforts and expenditures of money may be concentrated on an ultimate plan, the several parts of which are definitely related to each other.

"In order to make a beginning on this program, it is suggested that the first step is the acquisition of the property on Pine St. bounded by the present Public Works Yard and B. & M. RR. for use primarily as a playground to replace the Tidd Street playground, so-called. The entire block in which the Civic Center property is located would thus be available for building projects without the restrictions now in effect, except for the privately owned sections at the Pine Street corners.

"To bring the overall plan to the attention of the public, several methods are open to the Board for discussion, as follows:

"1. Present the map, with an appropriate write-up, to the newspapers for publication.

"2. Arrange with the High School authorities to include in the work of the students the production of a model of the completed development, built to scale based upon the ground plan indicated on the map. This model, when completed, may be placed on exhibition in (a) the Public Library, (b) the leading stores (c) at meetings of various organizations, etc.

"3. Arrange for the making of a plate from the map to be shown on the screen of the local theatre several times a week, whenever deemed advisable.

"The committee feels that no specific recommendations should be made as a part of this report. Accordingly, the general plan and suggestions are submitted for consideration and discussion.

In conclusion, however, it cannot be stated too emphatically that the Board should have some plan to present when required, whatever the details of the general plan may be or whatever measures are taken to bring it to the attention of the citizens of the town.

THEODORE F. MOORE

W. A. GARSIDE

J. J. SULLIVAN."

Respectfully submitted,

STONEHAM PLANNING BOARD,

WILLIAM F. WILSON, Chairman

GEORGE E. MacNEIL, JR., Vice Chairman

FREDERICK P. HANFORD, Sec.-Treas.

RUTH E. MERRIFIELD

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JOHN N. KELLY

PERCIVAL H. WARDWELL

THEODORE F. MOORE

WM. A. GARSIDE

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The varied duties of Selectmen have been carried on during the year 1935 by a Board organized as follows: Everett C. Hunt—Chairman, Harry R. Dockam—Secretary, Thomas E. Cahill—Dispensor of Soldiers' Relief.

This Board appointed Luther Hill, Town Counsel and Charles A. Owen, Town Accountant and Clerk of the Board. These appointees have attended practically all meetings of this Board. Their advice and assistance has been inestimable. Other appointments made during the year were:—

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| Constable | J. Clarence Nelson |
| Building Inspector | Charles Baldwin |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | J. Algernon Forbes |
| Public Weigher | Arthur O. Wheeler |
| Tree Warden | Percival H. Wardwell |
| Forest Warden | Wm. F. McCall |
| Animal Inspector | Wm. H. Rolfe |
| Dog Officer | Harold Bradley |
| Sponsor's Agent | Horace I. Newcomb |

The problems of furnishing employment has been a major one this year. Unfortunately, any improvement in general business conditions, has not reflected in any improvement in the unemployment situation. This Board has been greatly assisted by the two agencies working directly with this problem—namely, the unemployment committee and the Federal Administrator.

The Unemployment Committee consisting of T. Arthur Pettengill, chairman, Thos. E. Cahill, Chas. E. Ames, Hugh Dougherty, Alton Estes, C. J. Sweeney, did very efficient work in allotting labor under the vote of the Town meeting which set aside \$20,000 to be expended under their jurisdiction. We wish to convey our appreciation to them and point out to the citizens of Stoneham the importance of the work of this Committee.

The Federal Emergency Relief Administration functioned under Mr. Horace I. Newcomb, Administrator, until Dec. 15th. On this date the name of the Agency was changed to Works Progress Administration and the function of Administrator was discontinued by the Federal Government, the cost of supervision being placed on the Town. Mr. Newcomb was then appointed Sponsor's Agent to continue the efficient work he had done under the old agency. His co-operative work warrants the sincere thanks of this Board. His report is printed elsewhere and should be studied carefully by the Citizens.

Early in the year projects were prepared for the construction of a High School and Auditorium, a Grade School, a Town Office

Building and alterations to Armory Hall and were submitted to the Federal Public Works Administration with applications for a 50% grant on each. These were submitted for the purpose of placing the Town in a position, without obligation to itself, of taking advantage of any grant provided the Town Meeting should see fit to approve of them. The Federal Government made grants of about 45% on these projects. A Town Meeting held September 16 voted not to accept these grants and they have since been withdrawn.

The interest charges for temporary loans during the year has reached an all time low figure. This is due to three reasons:

1. The prevailing low rates for borrowing and
2. The fact that the tax bills were made payable at an earlier date and
3. Last but by no means least, the strong financial position of the Town.

The balance sheet at the close of the year shows the sum of \$71,671.96 cash on hand with all bills paid and a surplus of \$47,416.77 in the Excess and Deficiency fund.

A large part of the monies spent is under the jurisdiction of the Supt. of Public Works, Mr. C. J. Sweeney. His duties have been greatly increased by the addition of Federal aided projects which naturally fall within his jurisdiction. He has co-operated to the fullest extent with this and other Boards and with the Administrator. He is entitled to our thanks and praise and that of the public. It has been a trying year for him.

The reconstruction of Pond Street has been practically completed in conjunction with the State and County, as has Summer St. from Hancock St. to Franklin St. That part of Summer St. from Spring St. to Gould St. has been resurfaced without cost to the Town from State Bond issue money.

The Fire Department, under Chief Wm. F. McCall and the Police Department, under Captain J. Clarence Nelson, is commended for their capable work.

The work of the Finance and Advisory Board has been greatly increased due to their work on a joint committee with this Board, in allotting funds for material on E. R. A. and W. P. A. projects. We believe that with their aid we have been able to obtain the greatest possible return for money expended on these works.

Mr. Charles Baldwin as custodian of Town properties and Building and wire inspector has rendered the Town valuable service as has Mr. J. Algernon Forbes as Sealer of Weights and Measures, Mr. Wm. H. Rolfe, animal inspector and Mr. Arthur O. Wheeler, public weigher.

Jurors drawn during the year were:

Robert A. Newcomb, John Johnston, Thomas E. Cahill, Clyde W. Carter, William S. Folant, Charles E. Ames, Charles G. Burbank, A. Duncan Clark, Earle C. Bockus, Charles W. Evans, Harry R. Dockam, Harold H. Holden, George G. Graham.

Your Board has endeavored to co-operate with the other Boards not directly under their jurisdiction, such as the Welfare, Assessors, Park, Finance and Advisory and Planning Boards. We wish to thank them for their aid and co-operation with us.

The detailed report of the various departments under the jurisdiction of this Board follow.

Respectfully submitted,

EVERETT C. HUNT,
HARRY R. DOCKAM,
THOMAS E. CAHILL,

Board of Selectmen.

LEGAL DEPARTMENT

To The Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I submit herewith my sixth annual report as Counsel for the Town of Stoneham.

As during the year 1934 the duties of the Town Counsel have been varied because of the various Governmental agencies and questions which have arisen under them.

The Town Counsel has drawn numerous easements required under E. R. A. and P. W. A. work for the Selectmen and Superintendent of Public Works, and the E. R. A. and P. W. A. Administrator.

During the year he has had occasion to confer with Mr. Waddell at the State House on various Town matters.

The Town Counsel has assisted the Board of Public Welfare on a number of occasions and has brought suits on their behalf, resulting in collections for the Board.

Suit brought last year by the Board of Public Welfare against the Lidquist Estate was settled for \$120.00 and the Livingston case in which the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank was trustee was also settled before trial.

The Town Counsel has examined the titles and obtained the deeds to three lots purchased by the Town for Town Dumps. He has also examined the title and obtained deeds with partial release of mortgages on the two remaining lots covered by the Gould Meadow Playground.

During the past year the Town Counsel has rendered various

opinions for the Board of Selectmen, the Board of Public Welfare, the Finance Committee, the Park Commission and the Board of Appeal.

There was a substantial water bill due from the owners of Dow Block and after extended negotiations and conferences, these bills were paid in full amounting to \$641.00.

In June through the co-operation of the Town Counsel, the Superintendent of Public Works and the Tax Collector, steps were taken to collect unpaid water rates, and through these efforts some \$2,000 of unpaid water rates were collected that month.

After conferences with the Board of Selectmen and the Tax Collector, the Town Counsel was instructed to bring foreclosure proceedings under tax titles in the Land Court on two business blocks and property on Shumway Circle under 1932 Tax titles.

After conferences with the Treasurer of the mortgagee bank on the Davis, Franklin Street property, arrangements were made which if approved by the Commissioner of Corporations will adjust all the unpaid taxes on that property, and at the time of this report it appears that the mortgagee bank on the Steele Block property, corner of Montvale Avenue and Main Streets will take care of the unpaid taxes. Two petitions to foreclose under Tax titles on the Shumway Circle property have been filed in the Land Court.

The Town has been fortunate in having but two Tax Appeal cases brought before the Board of Tax Appeals; these involved small amounts and were settled before trial.

The Town Counsel has spent considerable time with the Board of Health regarding Health nuisances. Our Town Health Regulations did not cover the nuisances in question and new regulations have been drawn to cover the situation and will undoubtedly be passed and approved.

The Town Counsel has appeared with members of the Board of Health before the State Board of Health on the Junkins Piggery and has had various conferences with Maynard Clemons, Esq., attorney for the Town of Wakefield, and Mr. Johnson, attorney for Mr. Junkins as the case now stands all pigs are to be removed before April 1, 1936.

Three cases have been settled for the Town after suit was brought for damage to Stop and Traffic signals.

In accordance with the vote of the Town the case of the E. L. Patch Company vs the Town was settled for \$902.64.

Two pending cases in the Middlesex Superior Court, Ella B. Fitzpatrick et al and Marion Goodnough et al vs the Town were

about to be reached for trial on the Jury List, were prepared for trial and were settled before trial for amounts satisfactory to the Board of Selectmen.

During the year the Town Counsel has examined a number of damage cases, suits not being brought against the Town and no payments being made.

As in the past the Town Counsel has attended hearings at the State house when requested to do so by the Board of Selectmen

He has attended the regular meetings of the Selectmen and has rendered opinions, oral and written on various questions and has also attended special meetings of the Board of Selectmen, and joint meetings of the Board and the Finance Committee.

The Town Counsel spent a great deal of time covering a number of months with the various Town Committees on the Stoneham projects under the P. W. A., for a Town Office Building, new front of the Armory Hall, and new School Building. A great deal of time was spent with the P. W. A. officials in Boston and articles for the Special Town Meeting in the Fall appeared in the Warrant, and these projects were voted upon by the Town.

At the last Annual Town Meeting the Town Counsel was instructed to insert an article in the next Town Warrant calling for the election of members to the Finance Committee by the voters. Such an article could not be legally drawn and the Town Counsel will make a further report regarding this at the next annual Town Meeting.

Without going into further detail regarding the Legal Department the Town Counsel would say that there were numerous other Town matters which were attended to, and in conclusion he wishes to thank the Selectmen and officials of the various other Departments for their courtesy extended to him during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

LUTHER HILL,

Town Counsel.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:—I have the honor to submit, as Captain of Police for the Town of Stoneham, the following report for the year ending December 31, 1935.

The regular members of the Police Department are: Captain J. Clarence Nelson; Sergeants, John G. O'Brien and William H. O'Toole; Patrolmen, Dennis L. McKinnon, George E. Johnson, Thomas J. Flynn, Andrew J. Tuney, John P. Judge, Robert H.

Bradley, George J. McDonough, and Ellis B. Bradshaw. Reserve Officers: Warren H. Barnes, John G. McHale, Peter F. O'Toole and George N. Savard.

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| No. of Arrests | 642 |
| Males | 623 |
| Females | 19 |
| Residents | 214 |
| Non-Residents | 428 |
| Minors | 18 |

Disposition of Cases

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| Appealed | 21 |
| Continued | 32 |
| Defaulted | 1 |
| Discharged | 39 |
| Delivered to other Officers | 23 |
| Fined | 253 |
| House of Correction | 13 |
| Probation | 47 |
| Fined and Suspended | 1 |
| Truant School Chelmsford | 1 |
| Shirley School | 1 |
| Nol Prossed | 1 |
| Fine Remitted | 1 |
| Placed on File | 147 |
| Released | 61 |

Offenses for Which Arrests Were Made

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| Assault and Battery | 10 |
| Breaking and Entering | 2 |
| Capias | 11 |
| Common Railer and Brawler | 1 |
| Drunkenness | 181 |
| Delinquent Child | 8 |
| Cruelty to Animals | 1 |
| Larceny | 11 |
| Fishing without a License | 4 |
| Peddling without a License | 1 |
| Non-Support of Wife | 7 |
| Non-Support of Minor Child | 2 |
| Malicious injury to property | 3 |
| Keeping & Exposing Intoxicating Liquor for sale | 1 |
| Selling Alcoholic Beverages without a permit | 3 |
| Wilful Neglect of Minor Child | 2 |
| Violation of Probation | 1 |
| Habitual Truant | 1 |
| Truancy | 1 |

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| Keeping Unlicensed Dog | 4 |
| Violation of Chap. 264 Sec. 9 of Labor Laws | 1 |
| Misappropriation of Automobile | 6 |
| Warrants from other Police Departments | 3 |
| Violation of Auto Laws | |
| Excessive Speed | 237 |
| Operating under the influence of liquor | 39 |
| Operating so as to endanger | 22 |
| Operating without a license | 16 |
| Operating after suspension | 3 |
| Operating without license in possession | 1 |
| Operating without registration | 1 |
| Operating with improper lights | 2 |
| Operating unregistered car | 1 |
| Operating uninsured car | 1 |
| Operating without proper equipment | 1 |
| Passing red traffic signal | 23 |
| Failing to stop for Police Officer | 5 |
| Parking within 600 ft. of fire apparatus | 2 |
| Parking without lights | 1 |
| Failing to stop before entering a thru way | 7 |
| Failing to keep to the right | 9 |
| Failing to slow down at intersection | 2 |
| Leaving scene of accident without making identity known | 3 |
| Attaching plates to a vehicle assigned to another vehicle | 1 |
| Radio messages cared for by cruising car | 315 |
| Ambulance | 118 |
| Accidents reported | 201 |
| Collisions with personal injuries | 138 |
| Total injured | 193 |
| Adults | 139 |
| Children | 54 |
| Persons killed (Children) | 2 |
| Buildings Spec. Protected (Inspections Made) | 1024 |
| Cases Investigated | 835 |
| Dead Bodies Cared for | 1 |
| Defective Hydrants | 4 |
| Defective Streets or Sidewalks | 56 |
| Defective Street Lights | 126 |
| Defective Water Pipes | 14 |
| Defective Gas Pipes | 1 |
| Defective Wires | 11 |

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| Defective Auto Lights (Notices sent to Registrar) | 442 |
| Detailed for public assemblages | 196 |
| Dog Bites Reported | 24 |
| Animals Killed | 35 |
| Emergency Messages Delivered | 171 |
| Fire Alarms given | 14 |
| Fires extinguished without alarm | 2 |
| Missing persons reported | 35 |
| Missing persons found | 26 |
| Lost animals reported | 34 |
| Lost animals found | 18 |
| Investigations for Registrar | 19 |
| Lanterns in dangerous places | 51 |
| Lost children cared for | 10 |
| Notices to Public Works Dept. | 100 |
| Notices to delinquent dog owners | 22 |
| Notices to dog officer | 4 |
| Notices to Edison Co. | 3 |
| Permits received from Selectmen | 80 |
| Permits received from Park Commissioners | 1 |
| Parade permits issued | 6 |
| Persons cared for in lockup | 214 |
| Officers at fires | 110 |
| Sickness signs posted | 3 |
| Summons served | 152 |
| Town Warrants posted | 21 |
| Permits issued for labor on the Lord's day | 20 |
| Traffic bulbs replaced | 121 |
| Violation Auto Laws (Warnings) | 618 |
| Violation Traffic Rules (Warnings) | 116 |
| Violation Parking Rules (Warnings) | 36 |
| Value of Property Stolen | \$1,812.00 |
| Value of Property Recovered | 1,171.00 |
| Value of Property Recovered for other departments | 5,705.00 |
| Value of Property Lost | 191.00 |
| Value of Property Found | 115.00 |
| Amount of Fines Imposed | 2,556.00 |
| Amount of fines received by Town | 1,533.86 |
| Imprisonment Imposed | 16 months—10 days |
| Sales and Transfers of Motor Vehicles Recorded | |
| Transfers | 291 |
| Sales, First Class | 276 |
| Sales, Second Class | 211 |

During the year of 1935, the Captain of Police submitted five articles in the Town Warrant in regard to amendments to the Town By-Laws. The following were adopted March 18, 1935.

Article XII amended by adding the following section to be known as Section 22: "No person shall go from house to house within the Town, begging or soliciting alms or contributions for any person, cause, or organization, except a recognized local fraternal, religious or educational cause or organization, without having first recorded his name and address with the Captain of Police and furnished such other information as may be requested of him. The Captain of Police shall thereupon, if satisfied of the honesty of the applicant, issue a permit which shall state that said person has duly registered and is entitled to go from house to house for the purpose specified."

Article XII amended by adding the following section to be known as Section 23: "No person shall sing, play on or operate any musical instrument, in any public way, or solicit, or receive compensation therefor from bystanders of the public, without first having obtained a license therefor, from the Selectmen, who are hereby empowered to grant such licenses, with such restrictions as they deem necessary."

Article XII amended by adding the following section to be known as Section 25: "No person shall, in or upon any of the public grounds, streets, commons or vacant lands appurtenant to any public building, make any public address, deliver a sermon, preach, discourse, give a concert, expose for sale any goods, wares or merchandise, erect or maintain any booth, stand, or tent, or apparatus for the purpose of public amusement or show, in the town except by license of the Board of Selectmen."

In 1935, 190 days were worked by Reserve Officers of the Department and 42 days were lost by Officers of the Department by reason of sickness.

During the year 1935, the Captain received many commendatory letters from citizens, organizations, and officials of cities and towns, praising members of the Department, and the Department as a whole as a result of services rendered.

I believe the record of the Department for the year is worthy of commendation, and I wish to thank at this time, all my officers for their co-operation and assistance, which has helped to make the year successful.

The Captain desires at this time to express his grateful appreciation for the co-operation and support given to him by the Honorable Board of Selectmen during the year.

Respectfully submitted,
J. CLARENCE NELSON,
Captain of Police and Lockup Keeper.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

The Engineers of the Fire Department respectfully submit the following report:

There were 246 alarms of fire, of which 161 were bell alarms and 85 were still alarms; eight of the bells were false.

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| Value of property endangered | \$342,200.00 |
| Amount of insurance carried | 248,000.00 |
| Estimated loss | 29,460.67 |
| Amount of insurance collected | 28,260.67 |
| Net loss | 1,200.00 |

There were used during the year 43,000 ft. of hose, 1,638 gallons of chemical and 1,650 feet of ladders.

The motor apparatus now consists of one Seagraves pumping engine of 750 gallons capacity, one Seagraves pumping engine of 600 gallons capacity, one city service ladder truck, one Reo combination hose and chemical truck, one Dodge coupe fire alarm service car and one Buick coupe chief's car.

The department has about 5,500 feet of 2½ inch hose in good condition and 1,400 feet of 1½ inch hose.

The fire alarm system, while it is in working condition, is old and we are without the many instruments that go to make up a modern system. We should also add several boxes, which under present conditions, is impossible. We strongly advise the rebuilding of this system as recommended by the investigating committee.

We have followed our usual custom of adding at least one modern and useful piece of equipment each year. This year it was the addition of a deluge set to replace an old an obsolete type.

We wish to thank you, Honorable Board, for your co-operation and encouragement, and also to thank the Police Department for their assistance at fires, and to the many citizens who have assisted us when short-handed.

We would in conclusion commend the officers and men of the Fire Department for their very sincere and efficient performance of their duties.

Detailed of Expenditures for 1935

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| Appropriation | \$20,378.00 |
| Pay of permanent force | 13,419.83 |
| Pay of call force | 3,351.60 |
| Assistant Engineer | 204.75 |

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| Apparatus equipment | 448.28 |
| Repairs | 138.12 |
| Operating expenses | 271.43 |
| Equipment for men | 188.20 |
| Fuel and light | 524.51 |
| Alarm system maintenance | 448.61 |
| Building maintenance | 112.42 |
| Telephone | 69.59 |
| Laundry | 55.82 |
| Hose and fittings | 730.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 411.83 |
| | _____ |
| | \$20,374.99 |
| Unexpended balance | 3.01 |
| | _____ |
| | \$20,378.00 |

Respectfully submitted,
 WM. F. McCALL, Chief
 FRED L. NEWHALL, Assistant

SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

January 1, 1936

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my 20th annual report as Superintendent of Public Works, for the year ending Dec. 31, 1935.

Highways, Catch Basins, Drains, Etc.

Every street in the town was thoroughly cleaned in the Spring and in the Fall. All roads were kept in a safe condition by patching and repairing. Over 40,000 gallons of tar and over 3200 gallons of road oil were applied, covered with sand and dragged with a hone to obtain a smooth riding surface. Our local streets compare most favorably with those of our neighboring communities.

The drainage of the town was kept free and clear by periodical cleaning of pipes and catchbasins. New sections of drainage were constructed on East Street and Lincoln Street. New catchbasins were placed on various streets to offset bad drainage conditions. The drainage conditions in the town are much more improved than they were several years ago. This improvement is due to our policy of expending a considerable portion of the highway appropriation for the maintenance and installation of drainage.

Gravel sidewalks were maintained by the highway appropriation and new gravel sidewalks constructed where necessary. A considerable amount of gravel was taken from the town pit and used on all streets constructed and repaired.

A quantity of ledge was removed from dangerous spots on Forest Street. The Highway Department performed emergency and utility services of a wide variety during the year.

The planning of the greater part of local E. R. A. and W. P. A. projects was done under the highway appropriation together with the servicing of such projects with tools and machinery. This was done at a considerable expense, but it is my belief, expenditures were well justified and that the townspeople desire the Federal projects to function with the greatest possible benefit to the community.

Water Department

The cold weather of the early part of the year caused a considerable number of services to be frozen and necessitated the purchase of additional thawing equipment, and also made it necessary to install many new services and fittings.

All fire hydrants were inspected at least twice during the year and kept to the proper standard to insure adequate fire protection.

Breaks in main water pipes continue to occur in about the same proportion as previous years and are confined almost entirely to the streets which are serviced with the old type cement pipe. This type of pipe is obsolete and it is the policy of the department to gradually replace it with cast iron pipe.

This year the old cement pipe on Pond Street between Franklin and Summer was replaced with eight inch cast iron pipe.

In the construction and maintenance of water pipe lines the department is following the recommendations of the Municipal Protection Department of the N. E. Insurance Exchange.

Ten new water services were installed, seven services re-laid and 31 services repaired during the year.

Meters were kept in as good repair as possible to insure full revenue to the town.

Sewer Department

The entire sewerage system was cleaned of roots and debris twice during the year. A number of stoppages and breaks were taken care of, the most serious being the one which occurred on Main Street near Benton Street. The sewer at this point is exceptionally deep and the expense of repairing the break compelled the department to secure additional funds to carry on for the balance of the year.

It might be advisable for the citizens to understand that the condition of the sewer pipe along Main Street from Marble Street to Maple Street is of a questionable nature and a recurrence of the trouble may come at any time.

Many sewer connections have become plugged and had to be remedied.

The pumping units of the South Side Sewer and the Elm Street Sewer were inspected each week and operated without trouble.

A new section of sewer was constructed on North Main Street and entered into the Metropolitan System.

Thirty-six new sewer connections were made during the year.

Street Signs And Street Rails

The painting of traffic lines at the direction of the Police Department and the cost of operation of the automatic signal lights were the major expenditures under the appropriation for street signs. Street and traffic signs were also kept in repair and new street signs erected wherever requested.

Street railings were inspected and repaired wherever necessary. New sections of fence were erected on High Street, North Street and Maple Street.

Snow And Ice

The expenditures for the removal of snow were comparatively heavy with labor and hired equipment the major items. The work was performed under trying conditions but Stoneham streets were kept open all during the severe winter.

A new motor grader equipped with a snow plow and a tractor for plowing sidewalks has been added to the department equipment and should aid in giving the town better service at a smaller cost.

Sidewalks And Edgestones

The work of repairing tar concrete sidewalks was let out to contract with the exception of emergency jobs, which were done to prevent liability on the part of the town. Over 2,225 sq. yds. of tar concrete sidewalks were repaired and 210 sq. yds. of new sidewalks laid.

Curbing was placed on sections of Lincoln, Congress and Pine Streets and to eliminate a hazard, the corner rounded and curbed at Middle and Pine Streets.

Road Construction

Under the jurisdiction of the Mass. Dept. of Public Works, local men reconstructed Pond Street from Franklin Street to Wilson Road and Summer Street from South Summerhill Street to Franklin Street under Chapter 90 of the G. L.

A considerable amount of hand labor was used and men obtained for the work through the local Unemployment Committee, materially aiding the unemployed citizens of the town.

As the State and County pay two-thirds of the cost of such work I believe that the addition of excellent roads, plus the aid received by our unemployed on such projects, are of a distinct advantage to the town.

Summer Street from Gould to Spring Street was constructed under the supervision of the local Public Works Department, the entire cost of \$3,813.00 being borne by the State.

Federal Projects

Under the Public Works Department the following projects were planned and entered as Federal projects with the department servicing the same with tools, equipment and supervision: Spot Pond Brook cleaning, South Marble Street culvert, East School drain, Wright Street sidewalk, Spring Street drain, Sweetwater Brook walling and cleaning, Meeting-house Swamp Ditch cleaning and widening, Marble Street curbing, Oak Street sidewalk, North Street sidewalk, Marble Street Brook walling, Public Works Garage, North Main Street sewer, William Street sewer and Connecting Dead Ends-water mains.

The task of apportioning tools and equipment originally designed for a department of 30 men to one embracing approximately 400 men, composed of Unemployed Groups and W. P. A. Groups, is no easy one and was bound to entail additional expense to the department. The Public Works Department is, however, in my opinion, the cornerstone of such a program, and as a civic duty, should take the lead in sponsoring Government Public Works programs. This we have endeavored to do, to the very best of our ability. We shall continue to do our best in view of the fact that the program is not only helping our more unfortunate unemployed, but also our taxpayers.

In General

The Public Works Department has made every effort to give the townspeople prompt and efficient service throughout the year.

Buildings and equipment were kept in repair and all town property under the jurisdiction of the department was kept at a proper standard.

The Department has co-operated fully with all Town Committees and Department Heads, and appreciates the assistance which they have extended to the department.

On account of the unemployment, as much work as possible was given to the unemployed, with the thought still in mind, to give our regular employees as nearly full time as possible.

I desire at this time to extend my thanks to your Honorable Board of Selectmen for the co-operation and advice which you have given us throughout the year.

I also wish to thank the Town Clerk and his assistants for their co-operation with my department.

To the employees of my Department, I express my apprecia-

tion for their loyalty and co-operation under many trying conditions.

To the citizens of the Town I would also extend my appreciation for their patience and understanding in their relations with the Public Works Department.

Respectfully submitted,

C. J. SWEENEY, Superintendent.

BUILDING AND WIRE INSPECTOR

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as Inspector for the year 1935 as follows:

Buildings

I have issued 91 Building Permits and 11 Elevator Licenses.

Permits

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| Dwellings | 9 |
| Additions to Dwellings | 7 |
| Garages | 24 |
| All Others | 51 |
| | |
| Total | 91 |
| Estimated Cost | \$69,670.00 |

I have collected in fees and paid to the Treasurer \$192.50

Wires

Number of Permits granted

229

I have collected in fees and paid to the Treasurer.....

\$149

Civic Center Property

I have collected Rents to the amount of

\$2,489.08

I have paid to the Treasurer

\$2,489.08

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES BALDWIN,

Inspector of Buildings and Wires.

REPORT OF THE SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Stoneham, Mass., Dec. 31, 1935.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

The work of the Weights and Measures Department has progressed along the usual lines during the past year. There has been only one complaint made to the Sealer during the year, and that was due to a misunderstanding. This speaks very well for the desire of all persons using measuring and weighing devices to comply with the state regulations.

The introduction of many metered oil tank trucks, and large capacity tank meters, finds your Sealer badly handicapped for proper equipment to test them with. Some of this work has been done by the State Inspector, but he is obliged to cover too much territory to give much of his time to any one town.

It is only a question of time when adequate meter testing equipment will have to be purchased in the form of a fifty gallon tank trailer, with pump.

A summary of the work performed during the year follows.

J. ALGERNON FORBES,
Respectfully submitted,
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

| | Adjusted | Sealed | Non-Sealed | Condemned |
|------------------------------------|----------|--------|------------|-----------|
| Scales | | | | |
| Platform over 5000 lbs. | | 4 | | |
| Platform 100 to 5000 lbs. | 5 | 8 | | |
| Counter 100 lbs. or over | | 4 | | |
| Counter under 100 lbs | 2 | 15 | | |
| Spring 100 lbs. or over | | 3 | | |
| Spring under 100 lbs. | 10 | 20 | | 2 |
| Computing 100' lbs. or over | 1 | 3 | | |
| Computing under 100 lbs. | 2 | 10 | 1 | |
| Prescription | | 3 | | |
| Weights | | | | |
| Avoirdupois | | 112 | | |
| Apothecary | | 61 | | |
| Capacity Measures | | | | |
| Liquid | | 125 | | |
| Dry | | 2 | | |
| Automatic Measuring Devices | | | | |
| Gasoline Meas. Pumps | 2 | 9 | | 1 |
| Galosine Meas. Meters | 8 | 55 | | 1 |
| Oil Measuring Pumps | | 19 | | |
| Quantity Meas. on Pumps | | 64 | | |
| Yard Sticks | | 20 | | |
| Cloth Meas. Devices | | 1 | | |
| | — | — | — | — |
| Total | 30 | 538 | 1 | 4 |

Fees to the amount of \$60.70 have been collected and turned over to the town Treasurer, whose receipt I hold.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Stoneham, Mass., Jan. 1, 1936.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as Inspector of Animals for the year ending Dec. 31, 1935.

Orders were received from the Division of Livestock Disease control to make an inspection and examine all barns and livestock within the limits of the Town. This was done and a report was made to the State Dept. as to conditions as found on report blanks furnished by them. All the dairies in town have taken the Tuberculin test and are now under State and Federal supervision. There are a few herds that are accredited. There has been a large number of dog bites reported during the year. The dog inflicting the injury was placed under quarantine for observation of fourteen days and was not released until ordered by the Division of Livestock Disease Control. Three dogs, one cat, and one rabbit had rabies, the carcass destroyed and the heads were sent to the Dept. for positive examination, several persons were bitten by these animals and received the Pasteur treatment. Any person receiving a bite or scratch should receive medical treatment at once as rabies is still quite prevalent in this State. I wish at this time to thank you for your cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. ROLFE,
Inspector of Animals.

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC WEIGHER

To the Board of Selectmen, Stoneham, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I submit the following report of commodities weighed on the Town Scales during 1935:

| | |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| 26 Loads at 10 cents each | \$2.60 |
| 11 Loads at 15 cents each | 1.65 |
| 5 Loads at 20 cents each | 1.00 |
| 5 Loads at 25 cents each | 1.25 |
| 7 Loads at 30 cents each | 2.10 |
| 23 Loads at 35 cents each | 8.05 |
| 9 Loads at 40 cents each | 3.60 |
| 4 Loads at 45 cents each | 1.80 |
| 1 Load at 55 cents each | .55 |
| 2 Loads at 60 cents each | 1.20 |
| 1 Load at 65 cents each | .65 |

| | |
|---|---------|
| Also one lot of 6 loads | 2.75 |
| Total for the year | \$27.20 |
| Respectfully submitted, ARTHUR O. WHEELER, Weigher. | |

December 31, 1935.

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

This past summer Stoneham had its greatest recreational season in the history of the Town. Three new temporary playgrounds were opened at Dean Street, Spring Street, and Park Avenue. Then there was the Dean School sewing project which was conducted by the Park Department with instructors supplied by the E. R. A. Competent instructors handled a total registration group of over 250 children. A fine exhibition at the end of the season was held and the splendid results obtained through this valuable program was clearly reflected by the exhibition. Certainly this was a real highlight of the summer recreation program.

The playgrounds were exceptionally well attended. Instructors were supplied again by the E. R. A. as were attendants who did much necessary work in clearing off the temporary playground locations.

Even in the first two weeks before the Spring Street playground was opened, an estimated attendance for the two week period was placed at 5700. At Tidd Street the average was 100 per day.

The Community Baseball League drew a weekly attendance of 1600 people per week. Official figures kept at the E. R. A. office revealed that exactly 137 different Stonehamites played in the popular after-supper league. The Park Department supplied money for equipment while supervision and upkeep of the playing field was provided by the E. R. A. The fact that 137 people were given a chance to play baseball merely for recreation is significant in itself. It ws the best year the league has ever known.

Getting back to the playgrounds—a gala field day topped off the season at the Pomeworth Street grounds. 600 bottles of tonic were distributed while 500 hoodies were also given out. Prizes were awarded to winners of the many various events sched- uled for the field dy.

It is worth noting that the Independent Social Club con- ducted a drive for over \$200 which was given to the Park De- partment for furtherance of equipment.

Children were kept off the streets. Their minds were occu- pied with worthwhile features; for example, their sewing work at the Dean School.

Officials from the Boston office had the highest praise for the Stoneham program. It has been said that Stoneham had the best outlined project in the State of Massachusetts. The Boston authorities were particularly pleased with the co-operation given by the two Stoneham papers who gave generous space to the Recreation activities.

It might be pertinent at this time to mention that a winter recreation project has been outlined and is waiting approval from Washington. Should it be passed, and we have reason to think it shall, people of Stoneham seeking an outlet for Recreation this winter will take advantage of the project.

Included along with the regular games, etc. on the playgrounds, Junior Safety Patrols were organized. Children who showed the proper co-operation were allowed to serve as patrol members for a week. For this they received a badge and certificate. Their work consisted in watching for the possibility of accidents and helping the instructors with minor, but nevertheless important items.

As for the tennis courts. We need say little beyond that the only trouble with the courts is—there isn't enough of them. In two days 125 different people used the courts. This figure was based on a Monday and a Tuesday when the court traffic was not as heavy as on week ends. Tennis is here to stay in Stoneham. The courts compare with the best in the State. Stoneham should be proud of them and right now Tennis is the leading sport here. Next year a town tennis tournament will be held which augers well for future interest.

It is reasonable to assume that tennis interest will not die out as long as there is the opportunity to play. The inability to go on the courts as much as possible might account for a slight dropping off but beyond that the courts have proven already to be a great success.

The Park Commissioners have submitted a project through the local W. P. A. administration for three additional tennis courts to be constructed next to the present courts on Pomeworth Street. This project has been approved by the Federal administration and will be submitted to the citizens for their consideration at the annual town meeting. If an appropriation for materials is made it will make it possible to complete three additional courts about July 1, which will relieve the present tennis court congestion.

Truly it has been a great season from a recreational standpoint. In these trying times, recreation plays an important role for those who seek to forget. This is aside from the health standpoint, which is a paramount consideration.

Lighted Hockey Rink is now in construction on Gould Meadow by the W. P. A. under supervision of the Park Department.

The following was the attendance at the Playgrounds:

| | |
|------------------------|------|
| Pomeworth Street | 1500 |
| Tennis Courts | 6000 |
| Tidd Street | 5200 |
| Park Avenue | 900 |
| Spring Street | 2500 |
| Dean Street | 2500 |
| Sewing Classes | 2300 |
| Field Day | 500 |

Total 21,400

In addition to the above the attendance at the Community League Baseball games for the season reached a total of 49,333 which brings the grand total of recreation attendance to 70,733.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM F. WILSON, Chairman

FRED A. SCHNEIDER, Clerk

NICHOLAS E. APALAKIS, Permits

Board of Park Commissioners.

REPORT OF E. R. A. ADMINISTRATOR AND SPONSOR'S AGENT

To the Citizens of the Town of Stoneham:

In order that the town's people may better acquaint themselves with the work of the Federal Relief Administration and the Works Progress Administration Office in the Town of Stoneham, I would submit the following report:

Work during the early part of the year continued on about the same basis as in 1934. The town received a monthly allotment for the purpose of employing labor on projects submitted by their administrator and approved by the State Office. Allotments for Stoneham varied month to month and run all the way from \$13,500.00 to \$18,500.00, which was the largest amount received during any one month. The amount of money allowed to the town depended a great deal on the allotment which was received by the State of Massachusetts, which was apportioned to the various cities and towns according to their needs as shown in our monthly report to the State Administration. The State Administration Office has co-operated with the local office in every way possible, especially in our monthly allowance and in the consideration of the projects which were submitted for approval.

The close co-operation of the various local boards and committees have made it possible to employ all able-bodied persons

who were on relief rolls and also a great many who would necessarily have applied for relief had it not been for this work.

During the early part of the year, we received information that if we were to continue our Sewing Unit in the basement of the Armory, that extensive alterations and repairs would have to be made in order to provide for the health and safety of the sixty women workers who were employed at that time. This matter was taken up with the proper persons and arrangements were made for us to occupy the first floor of the factory building at 287 Main Street. This change has been very satisfactory and at the present time we have ample room for our ninety workers on the Sewing Project in addition to the Administrative Office, which was moved to this new location from the Selectmens' Rooms.

Local Administration received word from the Federal Government during the month of August that Emergency Relief Work was to be discontinued and that the Works Progress Administration would be set up to take care of E. R. A. workers. At the time of receiving this information, all local offices were instructed to submit projects to take care of our relief load to June 30, 1936. As a result of these instructions, your local office worked day and night with the various department heads to get satisfactory projects in order to keep our workers employed. Owing to this effort, your Administrator, with the approval of the different departments, has submitted projects totaling \$250,558.25. Providing all of these projects received the approval of the State Office, we will be able to furnish work for approximately three hundred workers until June 30 next. The work called for in the projects which have been submitted is of a similar nature to that done under the E. R. A. program. In presenting all projects for work to be done in the town, both your Administrator and the various departments have endeavored to select projects which would be of permanent value to the town.

E. R. A. workers were gradually transferred to W. P. A. projects during the latter part of November and the early part of December and up until December 15 when E. R. A. was officially discontinued. Wages paid to the workers on the above program are paid on a semi-monthly basis and range from \$52.00 per month for unskilled labor up to \$77.00 per month for skilled employees. This is what is known as a Security Wage Rate and although the workers will not receive a very great increase per hour, it is the intent of the Administration to give continuous employment and thereby eliminate the long and short weeks as were experienced under the E. R. A. program. Arrangements have also been made to have all W. P. A. employees receive benefits of the United States Compensation Law, which will provide medical treatment and a limited amount in case of injury.

One of the most important changes made by the Federal Government during the transfer to the new Works Progress set-up was the placing of the burden of administrative expense of federal funds on the local government. As a result of this change, your E. R. A. Administrator, with one assistant and one stenographer, were appointed to carry on this work as in the past.

During the year of 1935 a total of \$182,484.28 has been paid to the residents of the town who were employed on Federal Projects. In addition to this federal allotment for labor, we have received \$12,034.50 worth of cloth and materials which were used by our Sewing Unit.

The Federal Relief Payrolls at the present time are taking care of 315 families in the town.

In closing, I wish to say that this has been a very busy year and I am deeply grateful for the 100% help and co-operation from the various town departments and citizens as well as to all of the workers who have been so appreciative during the past year.

I am attaching a list of and a brief description of the projects which have been completed during the year of 1935.

Respectfully submitted,
HORACE I. NEWCOMB,
E. R. A. Administrator
Sponsor's Agent for W. P. A. Projects.

Elm Street Drain

Construction of a drain for surface water beginning at the junction of Elm and Washington Streets and running south a distance of three hundred and forty-seven feet (347'); also the construction of four (4) catch basins.

Spring Street Drain

Construction of a 10" reinforced concrete drain on Spring Street starting at the property of T. A. Mulroney and running westerly a distance of three hundred and thirty-six feet (336'). This project was made necessary in order to keep the water from an existing drain from flooding private property in this section. Necessary releases were obtained in order that the water from the new drain may be taken care of without injury to private property in the future. Also constructed were two man-holes and one catch basin.

Pomeworth Street Drain

Work on this project consisted of the construction of one hundred and sixty-six feet (166') of 12" reinforced concrete drain starting on Capen Street and running down Pomeworth Street under railroad track and connecting with Sweet-water Brook. This project also called for the removal of sixty feet (60') of stone culvert

and the lowering of the grade and placing of sixty feet (60') of 48" reinforced concrete pipe across Pomeworth Street and parallel to Boston and Maine Railroad track. There were two (2) catch basins constructed in conjunction with this project.

Hen-House At The Infirmary

This project called for the construction of a hen house at the Town Infirmary, size of building 20'x20', which was erected on a stone foundation. This building is a clapboarded building with asphalt shingled roof. The materials used in construction of the building were salvaged from our project last year which was for the purpose of tearing down building owned by the Town at No. 10 Emerson Street. Project also called for painting of this building.

Street Bound Project

This project furnished engineering services for the purpose of locating existing stone bounds and placing new bounds where necessary in the section of the town bounded by Maple Street, Montvale Avenue and Main Street.

Snow Removal

During the months of January and February, your Administrator was able to obtain authorization from the State Administration to furnish labor for breaking roads and removal of snow. This work was done between January 25 and February 9, 1935. The amount of money spent for this work was \$3429.50.

Summer Street Drain

This project called for the construction of twelve hundred feet (1200') of 12" reinforced concrete pipe at an average depth of four and one half feet (4½') and also the construction of twelve (12) man-holes and two (2) catch basins. This drainage project was to take care of surface water on Summer Street and was done in connection with the new roadway built there.

Summer Street Road Construction

Work on this project was carried on under provisions set forth in Chapter No. 90 whereby the State, County and Local Government each were responsible for a share of the expense. Work on the project was done according to plans and specifications from the County Commissioner's office and the Supervision furnished by the State and County engineers. This project was to provide the labor for the construction of twenty-two hundred linear feet (2200') of roadway on Summer Street, starting at the intersection of Main Street and running easterly to a point opposite the intersection of Hancock and Summer Streets. It was necessary in this case for your Administrator to obtain special permission which allowed your local office to furnish E. R. A. labor as a part of the town's contribution.

Sweet-water Brook

Work on this project was in addition to that done by E. R. A. last year and called for the construction of 5,000 linear feet of stone-wall along the sides of the brook. Sweet-water Brook, which starts near the center of the town and follows an irregular course through the north section of the town and runs southerly through the Lindenwood Cemetery and from there to the Woburn Line, is approximately eleven thousand feet (11,000') in length and during the past two years, we have been able—through Federal Funds—to clean and widen this brook and construct stone walls in the worst sections of the brook along the entire length. I think the citizens of the town will agree that this has been a very worthwhile project.

Fire-Alarm Project

This project was for the replacing of approximately five miles of new wire for the fire alarm system, including the replacing of the necessary cross arms and insulators and five hundred and twenty feet (520') of signal box wiring. In connection with this work, it was necessary to relocate cross arms and wires to a more advantageous position on the poles. In addition to the above replacing of wiring, we have put up forty thousand six hundred feet (40,600') of new wire, together with necessary cross arms, insulators, etc., which will make it possible in the future, providing the town is willing, to install an additional number of location boxes.

Tree Planting

On this project, E. R. A. labor, under the supervision of the Park Department, set out two hundred and five (205) Norway Maple Shade Trees on thirty-six (36) streets in the Town of Stoneham. Work included the removal of these trees from the nursery at the Infirmary and the hauling of loam necessary in order to properly plant the trees.

Removal Of Dead And Diseased Trees

Under this project all dead and diseased trees in the town were removed and the wood, of which there were about fifty cords, given to the Board of Public Welfare for their needs.

Marble Street Drain

The purpose of this project was to lower the grade on the Marble Street Drain that runs under Marble Street near the Winchester Line. Up until the time this work was completed, there was a large pool of stagnant water on the southerly side of Marble Street which could not be taken care of if this work had not been done.

Grading Of High School Grounds

The grounds in the rear and on the north side of the Junior and Senior High School have been graded according to a plan sub-

mitted by the school department. This work provided for the leveling off and filling in and seeding of the grounds. It was necessary in this case to haul in seven hundred yards of fill and loam in order to obtain the grades called for. Project also called for the construction of concrete steps and eight hundred and ten feet (810') of stone dust pathways, as well as a parking area which also has a stone dust surface and will accommodate about two hundred cars.

Shade Tree Scouting Project

This project was presented as a result of a request from the Massachusetts State College for the purpose of inspecting Elm trees for what is known as the Dutch Elm Disease. The Dutch Elm Disease is something new in this country and is spreading quite rapidly in some sections. We did not find any of this disease in the Town of Stoneham.

Pomeworth Street Playground

Work on this project was carried along and completed according to the original plan, which was submitted for this work. During the past year we have removed four hundred and fifteen cubic yards (415 cu. yds.) of ledge, constructed three sets of concrete steps, loamed and seeded the entire area and completed the construction of three tennis courts which have been enclosed by a ten foot chain link fence. This has been a long project; work originally was started in the early part of 1934 and with the exception of interruptions on account of weather and the lack of funds, has been in continuous operation up to date of completion. The three courts are of what is known as a Lay-Kold construction and are the finest type of court that it is possible to build.

North Main Street Sewer

This project is for the construction of one hundred and thirty feet (130') of 6" sewer on North Main Street, Stoneham. New sewer starting at a point opposite George Street and running southerly a distance of one hundred and thirty feet.

Blacksmith Project

This project provided labor for the sharpening and keeping in shape the tools and equipment used on E. R. A. projects. This project was continuous up until October 9, when this type of work was no longer approved by the Administration.

Recreation Instructors And Attendants

This project was for the purpose of furnishing labor and instruction for various playgrounds and the teaching of various classes of hand-craft work during the school vacation period. Under this project, the E. R. A. furnished instructors for eight

playgrounds in the town. In sections of the town, where possible, the owners of vacant land donated the use of this land for playground purposes during the summer months. This made it possible for the children to receive instruction without having to go very far from home. One benefit received was the opportunity of children who were interested in sewing and handcraft work to receive instructions, which were given at the Dean and High Schools. This has been one of our most worthwhile projects and no doubt, has been the means of keeping a large number of children off the streets and at the same time giving them an opportunity to participate in organized play or instruction.

Gould Meadow

Under the E. R. A. project, E. R. A. workers have graded three hundred twenty-four thousand square feet (324,000 sq. ft.) of land and built an open drain around the southerly and westerly sides of the field. Owing to the nature of the fill, this was difficult work and although it may not be possible to use this area for playground purposes at the present time, it will be in good shape and should be settled in place sufficiently so that if it is the wish of the town, the construction of the finished field can be carried on to advantage. Under a W. P. A. project, which is now in operation on this location, the workers are constructing a skating rink which will be 100'x200'. Work on the rink should be finished so that some benefit can be obtained from the rink before the skating season is over.

Marble Street Curbing

A cement curbing has been constructed on both sides of Marble Street between Main Street and the Winchester Town Line. The total length of the curb is forty-seven hundred feet (4700'). This has added greatly to the appearance of the street.

High School Repairs

Work performed under this project was the laying of twenty-one hundred board feet of maple flooring in the first floor corridors of the High School and minor repairs and refinishing of eight hundred school desks.

Painting At The Stoneham Infirmary

Work on this project was the painting and whitening of the inmates' quarters at the Infirmary. Painted area 10,716 square feet and ceiling area 4,936 square feet.

Project For Carpenter Work At Sewing Unit

Work performed under this project was the construction of work tables and repairs in the stock room.

Removal Of Poisonous Weeds

Under this project E. R. A. provided for labor for the purpose of destroying poisonous plants and weeds along public highways and property of the town. Plants destroyed were poison ivy, sumac, ragweed, etc.

Sewing Project

The sewing project is one of our largest projects and is employing ninety workers at the present time. These workers are engaged in the making of women's and children's dresses, underwear, bedding, towels, etc. Federal Government furnish the materials for this project and the finished articles are transported to Chelsea Commissary for distribution.

Social Service Project

This project provided practical nurses and visiting housekeepers who were assigned to homes in which there was sickness and in cases where the income of the family was financially unable to provide for this type of work. The Board of Public Welfare co-operated with the local office and in many cases I think it may have been necessary for the local relief agencies to have provided this care at their expense had it not been for the approval of this project. This project was in operation until the 25th of October and is not the type of project which is being approved by the W. P. A. Therefore, this service is not available under the new set-up.

Park Street Culvert

Work on this project consisted of the construction of a reinforced concrete box culvert connecting with the new drain on Park Street, which was installed by the M. D. C. and running easterly to South Marble Street, a distance of two hundred and ten feet (210'). This culvert replaced a pipe drain which was not large enough and was not at the proper grade.

Spot Pond Brook

Under this project E. R. A. workers cleaned, widened and re-located what is known as the Spot Pond Brook. The location of the work done was between Fellsway East and running through Wyoming Avenue easterly to the Melrose Line.

North Street Sidewalk

This work consisted of the widening of North Street and the construction of a gravel sidewalk on the easterly side of the street, a distance of eleven hundred and ten feet (1110').

Meeting House Brook Project

E. R. A. workers have cleaned and widened what is known as Meeting House Brook, starting at Franklin Street and running

south a distance of sixteen hundred feet (1600'). Work under this project also included the laying of eight hundred feet (800') of stone wall on part of the brook.

East School Drain

This project was for the construction of a drain for surface water in the East School yard. This drain is one hundred and twenty-five feet (125') in length and is connected with the drain on Spring Street. There was one man-hole and one catch basin in connection with this project.

Elm Street Bounds

At the time Elm Street was rebuilt, the State established the location of these bounds, which were marked by wooden stakes. Under this project E. R. A. workers have set seventy (70) stone bounds on Elm Street between Wakefield Line and the Main Street. Supervision of this work was furnished by State Department of Public Works.

Reclassification Project

This project was for the purpose of employing white collared workers to interview and classify all Federal Relief Workers and applicants in the town. This project employed three persons and lasted five months.

Gardening and Canning

Under this project it was possible to provide two instructors in connection with local 4-H Club work. The work on the project was performed under supervision of Supt. of Schools and was of great benefit to the young people of school age who were interested in this type of work.

Technical Supervisor

This project allowed your local office to employ the services of an engineer to assist in the operation of projects requiring this type of work. The Town of Stoneham does not employ an engineer; therefore, this project has been a great assistance to local administrative office.

Federal Housing Project

This project provided for the employment of persons to canvass the property owners of the town for the purpose of explaining the National Federal Housing Act and to obtain pledges for work such as repairing, alterations, additions, etc., to private property. A total of fifteen hundred and ninety-one (1591) pledges were obtained calling for work to the amount of three hundred twenty-seven thousand, four hundred and sixty-eight dollars (\$327,468.00). A check on these pledges shows that 90% of the work obtained in Stoneham has either been completed or started on or

before December 11, 1935. Records in connection with this project show that most of this work was done without the necessity of the owner having to apply for a real estate loan.

Surplus Commodity Distribution

E. R. A. workers have acted as clerks in the distribution of surplus commodities and foods, which were disbursed on orders written by the Board of Public Welfare. Commodities given out by this store, which were furnished by E. R. A. Administration, include the following items:

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|--------|------------|
| Canned Beef | 13,000 | 1-lb. cans |
| Rice | 500 | Lbs. |
| Evaporated Milk | 1,440 | Cans |
| Canned Mutton | 954 | Lbs. |
| Butter | 828 | Lbs. |
| Potatoes | 317 | Bu. |
| Prunes | 1,379 | Lbs. |
| Cheese | 228 | Lbs. |
| Finished Articles of Clothing | 12,000 | Pieces |

In addition to the above, these workers also distributed fresh vegetables which were furnished by the Board of Public Welfare from the garden at the Infirmary and which will show in their report.

Respectfully submitted,

HORACE I. NEWCOMB,

E. R. A. Administrator

W. P. A. Sponsor's Agent

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF LINDENWOOD CEMETERY

To the Citizens of Stoneham:

The work begun in 1933 for the preservation of the Avenues was continued throughout 1935, and as a result the Avenues are now in fair condition, except the Main Avenue from the main gate. An appropriation is being asked for to macadamize a section, at least as far as the bridge. A special effort has been made the past year to concrete the paths and we hope to complete the work during 1936.

Nothing further has been done on the new land purchase of 1933, but the odd and vacant plots in the Cemetery proper have been dug over and seeded and are now ready for disposal. There are a few available lots left in the Old Cemetery and it will not be long before an entry will have to be made in the new purchase and lots and graves made ready.

A statement of the financial condition of the cemetery follows:

| | |
|--|------------|
| Appropriation for Lindenwood | \$3,875.00 |
| Appropriation for Old Burying Ground | 100.00 |
| Income from Perpetual Care | 3,099.00 |
| | |
| Totals | \$7,074.00 |
| Bills paid as per Town Accountant's Report | 7,042.94 |
| | |
| Unexpended Balance | \$31.06 |

CEMETERY RECEIPTS

| | |
|---|------------|
| Received from Sale of Lots | \$1,200.00 |
| Received from Sale of Graves | 330.00 |
| Received from Care of Lots | 718.00 |
| Received from Opening Graves | 1,203.00 |
| Received from Foundations and Repairs | 252.50 |
| | |
| | \$3,703.50 |

Respectfully submitted,
FRED E. NICKERSON,
GEORGE R. BARNSTEAD,
CHARLES W. MESSEY,
SIMEON C. FULLER,
WILFRED A. SMITH,

Trustees.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

| | |
|--|----------------|
| Balance on Hand January 1, 1935 | \$ 93,892.59 |
| Total Receipts for the year 1935 | 1,111,998.63 |
| | _____ |
| | \$1,205,891.22 |
| Payments as per Selectmen's Warrants | 1,134,219.26 |
| | _____ |
| Balance on Hand January 1, 1936 | \$71,671.96 |

Details of receipts and payments will be found in the Accountant's Report.

Respectfully submitted,

SIMEON C. FULLER, Treasurer.

REPORT OF TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Herewith is presented the report of the Town Accountant for the year ending December 31, 1935. The report is made in accordance with the requirements of the State System of Accounting.

Unexpended balances of appropriations turned back into the Treasury amounted to \$14,024.58.

Due to the fact that State and County taxes were \$1,337.86 in excess of the Tax Commissioner's estimate and that the miscellaneous receipts of the Town fell \$10,866.48 under the amount estimated by the Assessors, the surplus revenue gained during the year was only \$1,899.52.

Borrowings in Anticipation of Revenue were \$350,000.00 as compared with \$500,000.00 in 1934 and \$499,500.00 in 1933.

The only outstanding bill is a Temporary Loan of \$150,000.00 due November 11, 1936. Against this obligation are \$181,548.98 Uncollected Taxes, \$34,073.40 other accounts due the Town and \$71,604.56 in the general cash.

Tax Titles held by the Town amount to \$38,873.47, against which there is a loan of \$18,200.44.

The surplus revenue (Excess and Deficiency Account) is \$47,-416.77.

For the co-operation of all Town officers and departments I wish to extend my thanks.

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES A. OWEN,
Town Accountant.

REVENUE RECEIPTS

From Taxes—Current Year:

| | |
|-------------------------------|--------------|
| Real Estate Taxes | \$278,626.75 |
| Personal Property Taxes | 23,833.32 |
| Poll Taxes | 6,496.00 |
| | _____ |
| | \$308,956.07 |

Prior Years:

| | |
|-------------------------------|------------|
| Real Estate Taxes | 174,503.08 |
| Personal Property Taxes | 2,294.26 |
| Poll Taxes | 45.00 |
| | _____ |
| | 176,842.34 |

From Commonwealth—Special State Taxes:

| | |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| Income Tax | 32,850.36 |
| Corporation Tax | 4,420.91 |
| Gas and Electric Tax | 1,516.84 |
| Race Track Tax | 770.00 |
| | _____ |
| | 39,558.11 |

From Redemption of Tax Titles 18,286.00

From Licenses

| | |
|-----------------------------|--------|
| Junk Collectors | 20.00 |
| Sunday Sales | 155.00 |
| Pool and Bowling | 32.00 |
| Victuallers | 28.00 |
| Revolver | 54.00 |
| Automobile Dealers | 60.00 |
| Denatured Alcohol | 2.00 |
| Amusement | 73.00 |
| Taxi | 6.00 |
| Inn Holders | 2.00 |
| Intelligence Office | 4.00 |
| Second Hand Dealer | 2.00 |
| Gasoline | 2.00 |
| Auctioneers | 4.00 |
| Sale of Firearms | 2.00 |
| Milk, Oleo, Ice Cream | 104.50 |
| Manicure | 4.00 |
| Beauty Parlors | 3.00 |
| Bottling | 25.00 |
| Elevator Operators | 8.50 |
| | 591.00 |

From Permits

| | |
|---------------------------|--------|
| Marriage | 158.00 |
| Building Permits | 180.00 |
| Demolishing Permits | 4.00 |
| Wiring Permits | 149.00 |
| Plumbing Permits | 73.00 |
| Swine | 5.00 |
| | 569.00 |

From Court Fines 1,780.26

From Privileges

| | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Motor Vehicle Excise, 1933 | 69.57 |
| 1934 | 553.25 |
| 1935 | 14,748.62 |
| | \$15,371.44 |

From Grants and Gifts

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| State— Veterans' Exemptions | 156.00 |
| Spot Pond Tax | 1,694.81 |
| Pond St. resurfacing | 8,150.19 |
| Summer St. resurfacing | 7,147.56 |
| Summer St. resurfacing | |
| Special | 3,813.49 |

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Franklin St. resurfacing..... | 2,483.91 |
| County—Pond St. resurfacing | 2,716.73 |
| Summer St. resurfacing | 2,430.86 |
| Franklin St. resurfacing..... | 827.96 |
| Dog Licenses | 1,051.37 |

\$30,472.94

From Special Assessments

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Moth | 1,537.86 |
| Sewers | 5,147.57 |
| Sidewalks | 246.58 |
| Street Betterments | 2,109.57 |

9,041.58

From Fees:

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| Town Clerk | 482.85 |
| Tax Collector | 1,321.40 |
| Sealer of Weights and Measures | 60.70 |

1,864.95

From Town Departments

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Armory Hall | 470.00 |
| Selectmen—Advertising | 6.00 |
| Board of Appeal—Hearings | 24.00 |
| Moth Work (State) | 56.93 |
| Dental Clinic | 56.35 |
| Tuberculosis Cases (State) | 828.63 |
| Anti-Rabic Treatment—County | 157.00 |
| Newcomb Road Sewer | 378.00 |
| Sewer Connections | 1,806.92 |
| Damage to Traffic Signs | 100.00 |
| Infirmary — Board | 220.00 |

Public Welfare:

| | |
|------------------------|----------|
| Commonwealth | 4,879.28 |
| Cities and Towns | 5,596.90 |
| Individuals | 470.00 |

Mothers Aid:

| | |
|--------------------|-------|
| Commonwealth | 35.00 |
|--------------------|-------|

Old Age Assistance:

| | |
|------------------------|----------|
| Commonwealth | 6,997.23 |
| Cities and Towns | 260.39 |

Soldier's Benefits:

| | |
|--------------------|----------|
| State Aid | 1,154.00 |
| Military Aid | 232.50 |

Schools:

| | |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Vocational Training | 287.54 |
| Tuition State Wards | 2,597.11 |
| Tuition City Wards | 83.00 |

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Evening School Fees | 125.00 |
| Books | 28.92 |
| Supplies | 6.51 |
| Telephone | 4.25 |
| Public Library Fines | 267.34 |
| Fire Damage—Fire Station | 124.00 |
| Compensation Insurance Return | 154.52 |
| | _____ |
| | \$26,907.32 |
| From Water Department | |
| Metered Rates | \$49,963.68 |
| Miscellaneous | 70.00 |
| Demands | 20.50 |
| Service Connections | 1,025.66 |
| | _____ |
| | 51,079.84 |
| From Cemeteries | |
| Sale of Lots | 1,200.00 |
| Sale of Graves | 330.00 |
| Care of Lots | 718.00 |
| Opening Graves | 1,203.00 |
| Foundations and Repairs | 252.50 |
| | _____ |
| | 3,703.50 |
| From Rent of Town Property | 2,508.91 |
| From Town Scales | 26.30 |
| From Interest | |
| Delinquent Taxes | 8,458.14 |
| Serial Loans | 113.82 |
| | _____ |
| | 8,571.96 |
| From Incomes of Trust Funds Used for Purposes of Gifts | |
| J. W. MacDonald School Medal Fund | 7.00 |
| G. L. W. Dike Library Fund | 221.38 |
| Annie H. Brown Library Book Fund | 300.00 |
| Annie H. Brown Library Building Fund | 500.00 |
| Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund | 3,099.00 |
| | _____ |
| | 4,127.38 |
| From Municipal Loans | |
| Highways | 8,000.00 |
| Water | 25,000.00 |
| Emergency Relief (Tax Titles) | 18,000.00 |
| Premiums | 79.20 |
| | _____ |
| | 51,079.20 |
| From Departmental Refunds | 89.48 |
| | _____ |
| Total Revenue Receipts | \$751,427.58 |

NON-REVENUE RECEIPTS

| | |
|--|------------|
| From Anticipation of Revenue Loans..... | 350,000.00 |
| From Dog Licenses Collected by Town | 1,314.60 |
| Bottling Licenses Collected for State..... | 20.00 |
| Trust Funds Transactions | 6,872.45 |
| Board of Survey Deposit | 15.00 |
| | 358,222.05 |

Grand Total Receipts \$1,109,649.63

EXPENDITURES FOR OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Moderator:

Frederick P. Hanford \$25.00

Selectmen:

Salaries:

| | |
|--|------------|
| Everett C. Hunt | \$95.00 |
| Harry R. Dockam | 90.00 |
| Thomas E. Cahill | 90.00 |
| Edna L. Tolman, Clerk | 636.96 |
| Mary G. Litchfield, Clerk | 19.25 |
| Beatrice Amo, Clerk | 2.75 |
| William H. Rolfe, Animal Inspector | 183.33 |
| Louis S. Nichols, Dog Officer | 135.00 |
| Clifford A. Price, Dog Officer | 63.00 |
| Gordon F. May, Census Taker | 105.00 |
| John F. Murphy, Census Taker | 100.00 |
| Clyde R. Dodge, Census Taker | 100.00 |
| Stationery and Postage | 79.85 |
| Printing and Advertising | 174.81 |
| Engineering Services | 15.00 |
| Recording Fees | 29.19 |
| Miscellaneous | 98.79 |
| | \$2,012.93 |

Accounting Department:

| | |
|--|----------|
| Charles A. Owen, Accountant | 1,487.50 |
| Printing, Stationery and Postage | 128.68 |
| Office Equipment | 43.42 |
| Miscellaneous | 27.90 |
| | 1,687.50 |

Treasury and Collection Department:

| | |
|--|----------|
| Simeon C. Fuller, Treas. and Collector | 2,187.50 |
| Clare P. Perry, Clerk | 953.33 |
| Bertha C. Moulton, Clerk | 120.00 |
| Ethel Emery, Clerk | 104.30 |

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|--------------------------------|----------|
| Stationery and Postage | 716.20 |
| Printing and Advertising | 381.90 |
| Premium on Bonds | 675.50 |
| Recording Fees | 274.49 |
| Office Equipment | 71.60 |
| Miscellaneous | 39.88 |
| | 5,524.70 |

Assessing Department:

Salaries:

| | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|
| John J. Kenney, Assessor | 366.66 |
| Lawrence E. Doucette, Assessor | 366.67 |
| Peter L. McCarthy, Assessor | 366.67 |
| Harry A. Williams, Clerk | 1,466.66 |
| Henry Doucette, Assistant | 32.40 |
| Winthrop McCarthy, Assistant | 31.95 |
| Bessie M. Lund, Assistant | 40.05 |
| Faith E. Stocks, Assistant | 156.60 |
| Stationery and Postage | 45.08 |
| Printing and Advertising | 21.75 |
| Automobile Hire | 75.13 |
| Real Estate Transfers | 92.65 |
| Office Equipment and Repairs | 19.90 |
| Street Lists | 535.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 57.28 |
| | \$3,674.45 |

Other Finance Offices and Accounts:

| | |
|------------------------|----------|
| Certifying Notes | 57.00 |
| Printing Coupons | 42.90 |
| Advertising | 10.00 |
| | \$109.90 |

Law Department:

| | |
|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Luther Hill, Town Counsel | 1,100.00 |
| Medical Examinations | 70.00 |
| Stationery, Telephone, etc. | 67.84 |
| | \$1,237.84 |

Town Clerk's Department:

| | |
|-------------------------------------|------------|
| Charles A. Owen, Town Clerk | 962.50 |
| Printing, Stationery, Postage | 109.43 |
| Miscellaneous | 40.57 |
| | \$1,112.50 |

Elections and Registration:

Salaries:

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|
| Daniel Cullinane, Registrar | 50.00 |
| Alice E. Fedigan, Registrar | 50.00 |
| Fred A. Lawson, Registrar | 50.00 |

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|--------------------------------|--------|
| Charles A. Owen, Clerk | 100.00 |
| Election Officers | 272.00 |
| Meals at Elections | 53.25 |
| Clerk Hire | 74.21 |
| Stationery and Postage | 42.03 |
| Radio at Town Meetings | 50.00 |
| Printing and Advertising | 305.50 |
| Miscellaneous | 8.00 |

\$1,054.99

General Clerk Hire:

| | |
|---------------------|--------|
| Lillian Chase | 953.33 |
|---------------------|--------|

Finance and Advisory Board:

| | |
|------------------------------|-------|
| Edna L. Tolman, Clerk | 30.50 |
| Stationery and Postage | 14.50 |

\$45.00

Planning Board:

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Printing, Stationery, Postage | 18.76 |
| Massachusetts Federaton | 15.00 |

\$33.76

Board of Appeal:

| | |
|----------------------------------|-------|
| Edna L. Tolman, Clerk | 50.00 |
| Printing, Stationery, etc. | 22.40 |

\$72.40

Town Offices:

| | |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| Rent | 1,800.00 |
| Eugene C. Lemoine, Janitor | 420.00 |
| Lighting | 226.90 |
| Telephone | 441.20 |
| Miscellaneous | 29.33 |

\$2,917.43

Armory Hall:

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| George B. Williams, Janitor | 1,277.50 |
| Fuel | 411.82 |
| Lighting | 180.82 |
| Janitor's Supplies | 39.55 |
| Repairs | 114.95 |
| Boiler and Liability Insurance | 118.59 |
| Miscellaneous | 54.20 |

2,197.43

Total General Government

\$22,659.16

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department:

Salaries:

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Captain | 2,274.84 |
| Sergeants | 4,199.58 |
| Patrolmen | 15,922.79 |
| Janitor and Matron | 156.00 |
| Equipment for Men | 162.93 |
| Other Equipment | 84.48 |
| Motor Equipment Repairs | 370.34 |
| Motor Equipment Operating Expenses | 630.79 |
| Fuel | 179.17 |
| Lighting | 178.19 |
| Building Maintenance | 326.62 |
| Printing, Stationery, Postage | 210.23 |
| Telephone | 318.78 |
| Signal System | 89.76 |
| Investigators | 39.90 |
| Revolver Practice | 71.05 |
| Office Equipment | 27.90 |
| Medical Supplies | 49.91 |
| Laundry Work | 32.79 |
| Care of Prisoners | 58.95 |
| Miscellaneous | 158.96 |
| | \$25,543.96 |

Police at School Athletic Contests:

| | |
|------------------------|--------|
| Various Officers | 125.00 |
|------------------------|--------|

Fire Department:

Salaries:

| | |
|---------------------------------|-----------|
| Chief | 2,281.39 |
| Assistant Chief | 204.75 |
| Permanent Men | 11,200.03 |
| Call Men | 3,365.61 |
| Equipment | 334.41 |
| Repairs | 74.99 |
| Equipment for Men | 298.08 |
| Hose and Fittings | 933.27 |
| Operating Expenses | 376.81 |
| Chemicals and Supplies | 97.99 |
| Alarm System | 115.74 |
| Fuel | 348.75 |
| Lighting | 190.23 |
| Building Maintenance | 300.72 |
| Laundry Work | 55.07 |
| Stationery, Postage, etc. | 15.28 |

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|---|----------|-------------|
| Telephone | 75.82 | |
| Miscellaneous | 106.03 | |
| | | ————— |
| | | \$20,374.97 |
| Hydrant Service: | | |
| Water Department | | 5,000.00 |
| Inspection of Buildings: | | |
| Charles Baldwin, Inspector | 825.00 | |
| Expenses | 115.00 | |
| | | ————— |
| | | \$940.00 |
| Inspection of Wires: | | |
| Charles Baldwin, Inspector | 550.00 | |
| Expenses | 85.00 | |
| | | ————— |
| | | \$635.00 |
| Rifle Practice: | | |
| Range Rentals | | 756.33 |
| Sealing of Weights and Measures: | | |
| J. Algernon Forbes, Sealer | 225.00 | |
| Transportation | 30.00 | |
| Equipment | 3.50 | |
| | | ————— |
| | | 258.50 |
| Moth Extermination: | | |
| Percival H. Wardwell, Superintendent | 971.10 | |
| Labor | 2,519.82 | |
| Printing and Telephone | 8.30 | |
| Equipment and Repairs | 137.83 | |
| Sprayer | 385.00 | |
| Hardware and Tools | 33.07 | |
| Insecticides | 178.55 | |
| Truck Hire | 75.00 | |
| Motor Equipment Epenses | 274.41 | |
| Workmen's Compensation | 240.07 | |
| Miscellaneous | 5.95 | |
| | | ————— |
| | | \$4,829.10 |
| Planting and Trimming Trees: | | |
| Percival H. Wardwell, Tree Warden | 438.60 | |
| Labor | 1,027.75 | |
| Stationery and Telephone | 32.25 | |
| Hardware and Tools | 70.83 | |
| Trees | 3.50 | |
| Motor Equipment Expense | 99.98 | |
| Truck Hire | 55.12 | |
| Workmen's Compensation | 107.18 | |
| Miscellaneous | 19.60 | |
| | | ————— |
| | | \$1,854.81 |
| Total Protection of Persons and Property | | \$60,317.67 |

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Board of Health:

Salaries:

| | |
|---|------------|
| Lawrence E. Doucette | 91.66 |
| George A. Hinchcliffe | 91.68 |
| Joseph H. Kerrigan, M. D. | 91.66 |
| Joseph H. Kerrigan, M.D. Physician | 200.00 |
| Geo. A. Hinchcliffe, Health Officer | 1,650.00 |
| Lawrence E. Doucett, Coll. of Milk Samples | 250.00 |
| David Taggart, Plumbing Inspector | 350.00 |
| Charles A. Owen, Agent | 75.00 |
| W. H. Rolfe, Slaughtering Insp. | 10.00 |
| Printing, Stationery, Postage | 145.41 |
| Telephone | 42.06 |
| Contagious Diseases | 634.89 |
| Tuberculosis Diseases | 1,668.53 |
| Dog Clinic | 147.90 |
| Miscellaneous | 155.43 |
| | \$5,604.22 |

Dental Clinic:

| | |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| Paul R. Cyphert, Dentist | 900.00 |
| Supplies | 178.36 |
| | \$1,078.36 |

Board of Health Nurse:

| | |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Angela Conlan, Nurse | 40.00 |
| Jane McLernon, Nurse | 328.00 |
| Dorcas Ames, Nurse | 542.00 |
| | \$910.00 |

Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital:

| | |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Building Loan | 5,000.00 |
| Building Loan Interest | 531.25 |
| Maintenance, etc. | 1,920.50 |
| | \$7,451.75 |

Vital Statistics:

| | |
|---------------------------|---------|
| Births, Physicians | 59.50 |
| Deaths, Undertakers | 20.75 |
| | \$80.25 |

Sewer Maintenance:

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| C. J. Sweeney, Superintendent | 231.24 |
| Labor | 3,955.56 |
| Truck and Equipment Hire | 168.12 |

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|--|--------|
| Equipment and Repairs | 728.64 |
| Pipe and Fittings | 93.70 |
| Other Materials | 156.27 |
| Motor Equipment Expense | 59.67 |
| Pumping Station Maintenance | 437.70 |
| Compensation and Liability Insurance | 114.95 |
| Telephone | 35.50 |
| Miscellaneous | 78.13 |
| | _____ |

\$6,059.48

Sewer Services:

| | |
|--|----------|
| Labor | 1,017.44 |
| Pipe and Fittings | 368.91 |
| Other Materials | 11.32 |
| Repairs | 11.60 |
| Compensation and Liability Insurance | 78.55 |
| Expense | 3.00 |
| | _____ |

\$1,490.82

Sewer Construction:

| | |
|--|--------|
| Newcomb Road Sewer | 667.21 |
| Compensation and Public Liability Ins. | 78.55 |
| | _____ |

745.76

Removal and Disposal of Ashes and Garbage:

| | |
|--|----------|
| S. Rotundi & Sons, Contract, Ashes | 2,700.00 |
| Care of Dump | 690.45 |
| Workmen's Compensation | 19.55 |
| Henry T. Meegan, Contract, Garbage | 1,766.64 |
| Miscellaneous | 14.40 |
| | _____ |

\$5,191.04

Comfort Station:

| | |
|------------------------------|--------|
| Labor | 157.92 |
| Water | 12.70 |
| Workmen's Compensation | 2.38 |
| | _____ |

\$173.00

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|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Total Health and Sanitation | \$28,784.68 |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|

HIGHWAYS

Highways, General:

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| C. J. Sweeney, Superintendent | 1,487.50 |
| J. H. Gallagher, Clerk | 900.00 |
| Labor | 15,098.09 |
| Stone, Gravel, etc. | 810.54 |
| Oil, Tar, etc. | 5,221.74 |
| Other Materials | 2,574.36 |

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| Equipment and Repairs | 2,268.17 |
| Motor Equipment Expense | 1,719.24 |
| Trucks and Teams | 647.14 |
| Drilling | 92.25 |
| Telephone | 109.41 |
| Office Expense | 137.69 |
| Compensation and Liability Insurance | 1,051.95 |
| Miscellaneous | 392.29 |
| | ————— |
| | \$32,510.37 |

Summer Street Resurfacing:

| | |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Labor | 3,053.47 |
| Stone, Gravel, etc. | 3,784.35 |
| Oil, Tar, etc. | 1,754.50 |
| Other Materials | 1,876.45 |
| Tools | 65.23 |
| Motor Equipment Expense | 55.17 |
| Trucks and Teams | 5,078.96 |
| Miscellaneous | 42.22 |
| | ————— |
| | \$15,710.35 |

Summer Street Resurfacing—State Job:

| | |
|--------------------------|------------|
| Labor | 2,130.38 |
| Stone, Gravel, etc. | 678.25 |
| Oil, Tar, etc. | 374.73 |
| Other Materials | 79.87 |
| Tool Repairs | 25.75 |
| Trucks and Teams | 515.63 |
| Miscellaneous | 7.90 |
| | ————— |
| | \$3,812.51 |

Pond Street Resurfacing:

| | |
|-------------------------------|-------------|
| Labor | 11,535.05 |
| Stone, Gravel, etc. | 5,377.67 |
| Oil, Tar, etc. | 3,418.11 |
| Other Materials | 3,525.97 |
| Tools and Repairs | 484.07 |
| Motor Equipment Expense | 65.65 |
| Trucks and Teams | 2,816.99 |
| Miscellaneous | 22.94 |
| | ————— |
| | \$27,246.45 |

Sidewalks and Curbings:

| | |
|---|----------|
| Labor | 1,013.82 |
| Trucking | 37.57 |
| Materials | 290.14 |
| Equipment | 69.32 |
| Compensation and Liability Insurance..... | 36.03 |

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|--------------------------------|----------|
| Miscellaneous | 13.62 |
| Contract, T. A. Mulroney | 1,447.10 |
| | <hr/> |

\$2,907.60

Snow and Ice Removal:

| | |
|--|----------|
| Labor | 6,632.77 |
| Trucking and Plowing | 4,492.66 |
| Equipment and Repairs | 1,020.14 |
| Motor Equipment Expense | 185.99 |
| Sand | 416.62 |
| Compensation and Liability Insurance | 144.92 |
| Miscellaneous | 135.38 |
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\$13,028.48

Street Signs and Beacons:

| | |
|--|--------|
| Labor | 454.57 |
| New Signs | 99.37 |
| Repairs | 284.93 |
| Electric Current | 405.52 |
| Compensation and Liability Insurance | 22.87 |
| Materials, etc. | 101.13 |
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\$1,368.39

Street Lighting:

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Edison Electric Illuminating Co. | 12,681.21 |
|--|-----------|

Street Railings:

| | |
|--|--------|
| Labor | 233.74 |
| Materials | 113.16 |
| Compensation and Liability Insurance | 19.53 |
| Miscellaneous | 3.17 |
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\$369.60

Road Equipment:

| | |
|------------------------|----------|
| Road Grader | 3,200.00 |
| Sidewalk Tractor | 1,750.00 |
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|----------------------|--------------|
| Total Highways | \$114,584.96 |
|----------------------|--------------|

CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

Public Welfare:

Administration: Salaries:

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| Charles E. Ames | 91.66 |
| Hugh A. Dougherty | 91.67 |
| Alton W. Estes | 91.67 |
| Daniel Cullinane, Investigator | 1,250.16 |
| Wm. Lorimer Sergeant, Clerk | 527.32 |
| Robert O'Loughlin, Clerk | 166.01 |

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Printing, Stationery, Postage | 196.81 |
| Office Equipment | 47.50 |
| Miscellaneous Office Expense | 7.81 |
| | 2,470.61 |

Town Physician:

| | |
|------------------------|--------|
| James Blenkhorn | 687.50 |
| Thomas P. Devlin | 62.50 |
| | 750.00 |

Outside Relief:

| | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| Groceries | 8,754.16 |
| Fuel | 3,546.41 |
| Board and Care | 1,433.18 |
| Medical Care | 2,483.06 |
| State Institutions | 397.00 |
| Rent | 6,385.26 |
| Clothing | 577.30 |
| Burial Expenses | 295.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 46.03 |
| Cash Grants | 6,069.08 |
| Paid Other Cities and Towns | 4,022.82 |
| Mothers' Aid | 4,194.00 |
| | 38,203.30 |

Infirmary:

| | |
|--|----------|
| William H. Rolfe, Superintendent | 687.49 |
| Gertrude Rolfe, Matron | 687.50 |
| Labor | 1,155.29 |
| Groceries and Provisions | 2,515.89 |
| Dry Goods and Clothing | 138.94 |
| Buildings, Repairs and Maintenance | 746.89 |
| Water Rates | 150.25 |
| Fuel and Light | 710.92 |
| Hay and Grain | 329.87 |
| Other Farm Expenses | 344.93 |
| Farm Equipment | 132.29 |
| Home Equipment | 154.45 |
| Telephone | 105.22 |
| Medical Supplies | 107.73 |
| Motor and Truck Expenses | 181.85 |
| Miscellaneous | 108.11 |
| | 8,257.62 |

Old Age Assistance:

| | |
|--------------------------------------|--------|
| Daniel Cullinane, Investigator | 455.00 |
| Wm. Lorimer Sargeant, Clerk | 185.20 |
| Robert O'Loughln, Clerk | 74.80 |

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|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| Office Expenses | 23,10 |
| Board and Care | 45.00 |
| Medical Attendance and Supplies | 107.59 |
| Fuel | 211.05 |
| Burial Expenses | 80.00 |
| Paid Other Cities and Towns | 1,728.04 |
| Cash Grants | 18,413.00 |
| | _____ |
| | 21,322.78 |

State Aid:

| | |
|-------------------|----------|
| Civil War | 686.00 |
| Spanish War | 220.00 |
| World War | 300.00 |
| | _____ |
| | 1,206.00 |

Military Aid:

| | |
|-----------------|----------|
| World War | 1,465.00 |
|-----------------|----------|

Soldiers' Relief:

| | |
|----------------------|--------|
| Administration | 54.36 |
| Civil War: | |
| Cash Grants | 552.00 |
| Fuel | 7.45 |
| | _____ |
| | 559.45 |

Spanish War:

| | |
|-------------------|--------|
| Cash Grants | 340.00 |
|-------------------|--------|

World War:

| | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| Cash Grants | 6,370.50 |
| Fuel | 338.15 |
| Groceries | 101.00 |
| Clothing | 31.91 |
| Hospital Care | 324.00 |
| Medicine and Medical Attendance | 42.77 |
| | _____ |
| | 7,208.33 |

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|------------------------------|----------|
| Total Soldiers' Relief | 8,162.14 |
|------------------------------|----------|

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|------------------------|--------|
| Soldiers' Burial | 100.00 |
|------------------------|--------|

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|--|-------------|
| Total Charities and Soldiers' Benefits | \$81,937.45 |
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SCHOOLS AND LIBRARY

SCHOOLS

General Administration:

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Charles E. Varney, Supt. | 3,500.00 |
| Clerks | 2,575.01 |
| Printing, Stationery, Postage | 442.60 |
| Telephones | 280.71 |

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|---------------------------|------------|
| Travelling Expenses | 464.89 |
| School Physician | 690.00 |
| Attendance Officer | 69.03 |
| Miscellaneous | 44.12 |
| | ————— |
| | \$8,066.36 |

Teachers' Salaries:

| | |
|--|------------|
| Supervisors and Special Teachers | 18,934.85 |
| High | 31,087.70 |
| Junior High | 20,743.48 |
| Elementary | 36,980.51 |
| Evening | 516.69 |
| | ————— |
| | 108,263.23 |

Text Books and School Room Supplies:

| | |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Books, High | 3,185.12 |
| Supplies, High | 3,805.96 |
| Books, Elementary | 1,468.81 |
| Supplies, Elementary | 1,343.91 |
| | ————— |
| | 9,803.80 |
| Tuition paid other towns | 697.74 |
| Transportation | 1,500.00 |

Furniture and Furnishings:

| | |
|---------------------------|--------|
| High | 819.79 |
| Elementary | 158.37 |
| | ————— |
| Graduation Expenses | 978.16 |
| | 101.32 |

High School Maintenance:

| | |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| Janitors | 3,116.72 |
| Fuel | 2,946.14 |
| Light | 2,019.80 |
| Repairs | 3,071.13 |
| Janitors' Supplies | 419.69 |
| Water Rates | 242.62 |
| Miscellaneous | 163.96 |
| | ————— |
| | 11,980.06 |

Elementary Maintenance:

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Janitors | 4,834.33 |
| Fuel | 3,053.76 |
| Light | 945.72 |
| Repairs | 545.81 |
| Janitors' Supplies | 341.13 |
| Water Rates | 148.96 |
| Miscellaneous | 37.97 |
| | ————— |
| | 9,907.68 |

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|--------------------------------------|------------|
| Miscellaneous General Expenses | 159.97 |
| | 151,458.32 |

Americanization School:

| | |
|--------------------------|--------|
| Supervisor | 59.16 |
| Teachers | 251.49 |
| Books and Supplies | 12.27 |
| | 322.92 |

Trade Schools:

| | |
|---------------|--------|
| Boston | 157.51 |
| Medford | 184.47 |
| | 341.98 |

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|-----------------------------|------|
| MacDonald Fund Medals | 7.00 |
|-----------------------------|------|

PUBLIC LIBRARY

| | |
|------------------------------------|--------------|
| Martha A. Jackson, Librarian | 1,466.64 |
| Assistants | 2,758.86 |
| Janitors | 1,018.42 |
| Books | 1,614.17 |
| Periodicals | 176.25 |
| Binding | 278.27 |
| Fuel | 437.45 |
| Light | 313.64 |
| Repairs | 165.27 |
| Other Building Expenses | 89.90 |
| Stationery, etc. | 162.18 |
| Telephone | 62.58 |
| Miscellaneous | 24.73 |
| | 8,568.36 |
| Total Schools and Library | \$160,698.58 |

RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED

Parks and Playgrounds:

| | |
|--|----------|
| Percival H. Wardwell, Superintendent | 193.36 |
| Herant J. Adzigan, Children's Instructor | 216.67 |
| Stanley D. Wood, Recreation Director | 459.24 |
| Labor | 592.49 |
| Office Expenses | 21.16 |
| Equipment and Tools | 648.52 |
| Truck Hire | 426.45 |
| Compensation Liability Insurance | 34.07 |
| Miscellaneous | 63.87 |
| | 2,655.83 |

Blasting Playground Ledge:

| | |
|---|----------|
| William C. Doherty Inc., Contract | 1,028.00 |
|---|----------|

Tennis Courts:

| | |
|---------------------|----------|
| Stone, Gravel, etc. | 500.49 |
| Bituminous Material | 760.64 |
| Other Materials | 98.87 |
| Fence | 760.07 |
| Trucking | 321.44 |
| Miscellaneous | 52.93 |
| | 2,494.44 |

Landscaping Pomeworth Street Grounds:

| | |
|------------------|----------|
| Loam and Filling | 532.50 |
| Drilling | 80.00 |
| Cement Work | 203.14 |
| Trucking | 503.04 |
| Miscellaneous | 26.57 |
| | 1,345.25 |

Damage Claims:

| | |
|---------------------|--------|
| Mabel G. Butler | 67.50 |
| James Johnson | 15.00 |
| Ella B. Fitzpatrick | 250.00 |
| Marion B. Goodnough | 600.00 |
| | 932.50 |

Memorial Day:

| | |
|---------------|--------|
| Music | 169.00 |
| Flags | 66.78 |
| Wreaths | 290.10 |
| Speaker | 25.00 |
| Grave Markers | 13.50 |
| Miscellaneous | 34.96 |
| | 599.34 |

Veterans' Rent:

| | |
|-----------------------------|--------|
| United Spanish War Veterans | 400.00 |
| American Legion | 400.00 |
| | 800.00 |

Care of Soldiers' Graves:

| | |
|------------------------|--------|
| Lindenwood Cemetery | 150.00 |
| St. Patrick's Cemetery | 100.00 |
| | 250.00 |

Fire Insurance:

| | |
|------------------|----------|
| Frank G. Elliott | 2,977.50 |
|------------------|----------|

Pensions:

| | |
|-----------------|--------|
| Fire Department | 330.00 |
|-----------------|--------|

Travel Outside The Commonwealth:

| | |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Schools | 149.05 |
| Fire Department | 35.05 |
| | 184.10 |

Town Reports and Finance Committee's Report:

| | |
|---|--------|
| Geo. R. Barnstead & Son, Town Reports | 666.00 |
| Geo. R. Barnstead & Son, Finance Committee's Report | 87.00 |
| | 753.00 |

Automobile Insurance:

| | |
|------------------------|--------|
| Frank G. Elliott | 893.00 |
|------------------------|--------|

Gould Meadow Playground Purchase:

| | |
|--|--------|
| Charles B. & Lillian R. Anderson | 325.00 |
| James C. & Elsie L. deGruchy | 500.00 |
| | 825.00 |

Land for Dump:

| | |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Joel T. Whittemore | 225.00 |
| Thomas A. (Mulroney | 125.00 |
| John J. Kenney | 425.00 |
| Russell C. Chase, Surveyor | 25.00 |
| | 800 00 |

Christmas Lighting:

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Electrical Supplies | 165.00 |
| Laurel | 45.00 |
| Henry D. Leary, Labor | 79.00 |
| | 289.00 |
| Damage Claim, E. L. Patch Co. | 902.64 |
| Sewer Easement Annie L. Doherty Estate | 100.00 |
| Taxes on Town Property | 785.70 |
| | |
| Total Recreation and Unclassified | \$18,945.30 |

Federal Aid Projects:

| | |
|--|--------|
| Horace I. Newcomb, Adm. Expenses | 360.00 |
| Stoneham Trust Co., Rent | 500.00 |
| Telephone | 107.23 |
| Office Supplies | 96.49 |
| Office Furnishings, etc. | 224.07 |
| Medical Supplies | 73.89 |
| Furniture | 122.25 |
| Tools and Equipment | 585.36 |
| Sewing Machines | 235.85 |
| Sewing Tables | 45.73 |
| Sewing Supplies | 623.04 |

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|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| Typewriters | 30.95 |
| Grading High School Grounds | 693.52 |
| Oak Street Sidewalk | 216.50 |
| North Street Sidewalk | 460.86 |
| Wright Street Sidewalk | 528.32 |
| Public Works Garage | 239.76 |
| Marble Street Brook | 727.71 |
| Spot Pond Brook | 22.60 |
| William Street Sewer | 167.45 |
| Street Bounds | 50.18 |
| Skating Rink | 8.50 |
| Spencer Street Drain | .45 |
| Washington Street Drain | 25.55 |
| Pomeworth Street Drain | 822.69 |
| Meeting House Swamp Ditch | 24.12 |
| Clearing Snow | 197.37 |
| Shade Trees | 81.48 |
| North Main Street Sewer | 273.84 |
| Sweetwater Brook | 917.98 |
| Gould Meadow Playground | 1,936.22 |
| Fire Alarm Wires | 1,036.53 |
| East School Drain | 129.45 |
| Marble Street Curbing | 1,824.33 |
| Miscellaneous | 88.78 |
| | 13,479.05 |

W. P. A. Administration:

| | |
|--|--------|
| Horace I. Newcomb, Sponsor's Agent | 80.00 |
| Laura E. B. MacKay, Assistant | 42.00 |
| Effie E. Molter, Clerk | 32.00 |
| Stationery | 7.15 |
| Telephone | 19.30 |
| | 180.45 |

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|---|-------------|
| Total Federal Aid Projects Expenses | \$13,659.50 |
|---|-------------|

ENTERPRISES AND CEMETERIES

Water Maintenance:

| | |
|--|----------|
| C. J. Sweeney, Superintendent | 906.26 |
| John J. Gallagher, Clerk | 696.00 |
| Edna L. Tolman, Clerk | 275.16 |
| Faith E. Stocks, Clerk | 16.50 |
| Printing, Stationery, Postage | 292.47 |
| Telephones | 57.94 |
| Compensation and Liability Insurance | 344.05 |
| Labor | 9,171.17 |

| | |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Pipe and Fittings | 1,451.04 |
| Meters and Fittings | 1,032.23 |
| Other Materials | 240.18 |
| Equipment and Tools | 765.05 |
| Motor Equipment Expense | 320.52 |
| Fuel | 207.20 |
| Town of Wakefield, Water | 143.20 |
| Miscellaneous | 232.71 |

16,151.68

Water Services:

| | |
|---|--------|
| Labor | 825.37 |
| Pipe and Fittings | 603.92 |
| Other Materials | 36.31 |
| Plans and Binders | 124.66 |
| Compensation and Liability Insurance..... | 23.75 |
| Miscellaneous | 30.90 |

1,644.91

Water Mains, Extensions and Relays:

| | |
|---|----------|
| Labor | 314.87 |
| Pipe and Fittings | 4,178.77 |
| Other Materials | 196.42 |
| Equipment and Tools | 217.58 |
| Drilling and Blasting | 56.00 |
| Trucking | 284.32 |
| Compensation and Liability Insurance..... | 40.72 |
| Miscellaneous | 93.43 |

5,382.11

Pond Street Water Mains Relay:

| | |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Labor | 1,740.16 |
| Pipe and Fittings | 1,716.67 |
| Other Materials | 14.20 |
| Equipment and Tools | 252.58 |
| Trucking | 137.89 |
| Miscellaneous | 38.10 |

3,899.60

Lindenwood Cemetery:

| | |
|--|----------|
| Labor | 4,962.02 |
| Loam, seed, etc. | 15.18 |
| Flowers | 130.00 |
| Tools | 145.08 |
| Concrete Work | 750.20 |
| Fencing | 587.17 |
| Water | 45.80 |
| Compensation and Liability Insurance.... | 62.30 |

| | |
|-----------------------|----------|
| Office Expenses | 66.50 |
| Miscellaneous | 178.69 |
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| | 6,942.94 |

Pleasant Street Cemetery:

| | |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Labor | 100.00 |
| <hr/> | |
| Town Scales: | |
| Albert O. Wheeler, Weigher | 40.00 |
| Rent of Land | 1.00 |
| <hr/> | |
| | 41.00 |

Civic Center Property:

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Charles Baldwin, Custodian | 124.46 |
| Repairs | 251.60 |
| Fuel | 200.41 |
| Water | 66.10 |
| Liability Insurance | 37.83 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total Enterprises and Cemeteries | 680.40 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total Expenditures for Operation and Maintenance (All Departments) | \$34,842.64 |
| <hr/> | |
| | \$536,429.94 |

INTEREST AND MATURING DEBT

Interest:

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| Anticipation of Revenue Loans | 523.67 |
| School Loans | 5,757.50 |
| Highway Loans | 1,612.50 |
| Sewer Loans | 2,282.50 |
| Fire and Police Station Loan | 80.00 |
| Water Loans | 1,062.50 |
| Municipal Relief Loan | 860.00 |
| Tax Title Loans | 580.61 |
| <hr/> | |
| | 12,759.28 |

Debt:

| | |
|--|-----------|
| School Loans | 16,000.00 |
| Highway Loans | 16,000.00 |
| Sewer Loans | 16,000.00 |
| Fire and Police Station Loan | 2,000.00 |
| Water Loans | 6,000.00 |
| Municipal Relief Loans | 6,500.00 |
| Tax Title Loan | 18,286.00 |
| <hr/> | |
| | 80,786.00 |
| Total Interest and Maturing Debt | 93,545.28 |

Temporary Loans:

| | |
|------------------------------------|--------------|
| Anticipation of Revenue Loan | \$400,000.00 |
|------------------------------------|--------------|

AGENCY, TRUSTS AND REFUNDS

State Taxes and Assessments:

| | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|
| State Tax | 22,000.00 |
| Wellington Bridge | 554.58 |
| Canterbury Street, Brookline | 26.90 |
| Land Taking, Revere | 58.85 |
| Ocean Avenue, Revere | 2.99 |
| Ways in Malden, etc. | .19 |
| West Roxbury—Brookline Parkway | 65.79 |
| Veterans' Hospital Care | 338.00 |
| Abatement of Smoke Nuisance | 120.66 |
| Auditing Municipal Accounts | 108.23 |
| Brookline Street, etc. | 25.15 |
| | ————— |
| | 23,501.34 |

Metropolitan District Assessments:

| | |
|---------------------------------|-----------|
| Metropolitan Parks | 7,647.98 |
| Nantasket Beach | 371.25 |
| Charles River Basin | 1,420.42 |
| Metropolitan Sewer System | 6,348.92 |
| Metropolitan Water System | 31,884.98 |
| Metropolitan Planning | 84.90 |
| | ————— |
| | 47,758.45 |

County Taxes:

| | |
|---|-----------|
| County Tax | 20,876.55 |
| Dog Tax | 1,316.40 |
| | ————— |
| | 22,192.95 |
| Bottling Licenses Collected for State | 20.00 |
| Trust Funds Transactions | 9,153.95 |

Refunds:

| | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|
| Taxes | 958.28 |
| Excise Tax | 226.77 |
| Sewer Assessment | 2.27 |
| Sidewalk Assessment | 11.55 |
| Interest | .86 |
| Water Rates | .66 |
| Sewer Deposits | 365.49 |
| Water Deposits | 251.47 |
| | ————— |
| | 1,817.35 |
| Total Agency, Trust and Refunds | \$104,244.04 |

RECAPITULATION OF EXPENDITURES

| | |
|----------------------------------|------------|
| Departmental Expenditures | 536,429.94 |
| Interest and Maturing Debt | 93,545.28 |
| Temporary Loans | 400,000.00 |

| | | |
|--------------------------------|--------------|----------------|
| Agency, Trusts and Refunds | 104,244.04 | |
| | | 1,134,219.26 |
| Cash Account: | | |
| Receipts | 1,111,998.63 | |
| Cash Balance, January 1, 1935 | 93,892.59 | |
| | | 1,205,891.22 |
| Payments | 1,134,219.26 | |
| Cash Balance December 31, 1935 | 71,671.96 | |
| | | \$1,205,891.22 |

TRANSFERS FROM RESERVE FUND

| | | |
|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Appropriation | 10,000.00 | |
| Transfers: | | |
| Treasurer's Expense | 36.70 | |
| Street Lists | 35.00 | |
| Police Department | 140.00 | |
| Sewer Maintenance | 1,500.00 | |
| Sewer Services | 500.00 | |
| Highways | 13.37 | |
| Summer Street Resurfacing | 350.00 | |
| Snow Removal | 603.48 | |
| Street Numbering | 2500 | |
| Public Welfare Clerk | 20.58 | |
| Outside Relief | 1,988.80 | |
| Infirmary | 739.28 | |
| Old Age Assistance | 1,200.00 | |
| State and Military Aid | 171.00 | |
| Soldiers' Relief | 155.14 | |
| Soldiers' Burials | 100.00 | |
| Total Transfers | 7,578.35 | |
| Balance | 2,421.65 | |
| | | 10,000.00 |
| | | 10,000.00 |

BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1935

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

| ASSETS | GENERAL ACCOUNTS | LIABILITIES |
|---|------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Cash | \$71,671.96 | Grants and Gifts |
| Tax, 1933 | 558.04 | Sale of Lots and Graves |
| Tax, 1934 | 25,249.11 | Anticipation of Revenue Loans |
| Poll Tax, 1935 | 226.00 | Overlay, 1933 |
| Tax, 1935 | 155,515.83 | Overlay, 1934 |
| Tax Titles | 38,873.47 | Overlay, 1935 |
| Excise Tax, 1935 | 748.00 | Overlay Reserve |
| Moth Assessments, 1934 | 168.50 | Excise Tax Revenue |
| Moth Assessments, 1935 | 644.15 | Moth Assessments Revenue |
| Sewer Assessments, 1932 | 623.66 | Sewer Assessments Revenue |
| Sewer Assessments, 1934 | 344.04 | Sidewalk Assessments Revenue |
| Sewer Assessments, 1935 | 2,104.33 | Betterment Assessments Revenue |
| Sidewalk Assessments, 1933 | 33.07 | Sewer Services Revenue |
| Sidewalk Assessments, 1935 | 30.45 | Water Rates Revenue |
| Betterment Assessments, 1932 | 423.59 | Water Services Revenue |
| Betterment Assessments, 1933 | 9.60 | Departmental Revenue |
| Betterment Assessments, 1934 | 146.30 | Reserve For Tax Titles |
| Betterment Assessments, 1935 | 1.36 | Excess and Deficiency |
| Sewer Services Accts. Receiv. (Defer. Pay.) | 543.04 | Gould Meadow Purchase |
| Sewer Service Accounts Receivable | 37.45 | Federal Aid Projects |
| Water Rates, January, 1932 | 48.00 | W. P. A. Administration |
| | | Water Extensions |
| | | 35.00 |
| | | 8,800.00 |
| | | 150,000.00 |
| | | 708.41 |
| | | 1,587.48 |
| | | 3,188.84 |
| | | 15,070.81 |
| | | 748.00 |
| | | 812.65 |
| | | 3,072.03 |
| | | 63.45 |
| | | 1,948.98 |
| | | 580.49 |
| | | 10,399.61 |
| | | 98.12 |
| | | 16,350.07 |
| | | 38,873.47 |
| | | 47,416.77 |
| | | 1.84 |
| | | 11,557.54 |
| | | 1,419.55 |
| | | 12,119.73 |

| | | | |
|--|----------|---|--------------|
| Water Rates, July 1932 | 150.00 | Water Extensions (not appropriated) | 3,600.00 |
| Water Rates, January, 1933 | 701.90 | Trust Funds Transactions | 67.50 |
| Water Rates, July 1933 | 600.09 | Deposits on Water Services | 100.98 |
| Water Rates, January, 1934 | 1,900.62 | Board of Survey Deposits | 15.00 |
| Water Rates, July, 1934 | 1,773.65 | Unclaimed Checks | 8.46 |
| Water Rates, January, 1935 | 2,767.40 | | |
| Water Rates, July, 1935 | 3,357.95 | | |
| Water Services Accts. Receivable | 98.12 | | |
| Departmental Accts. Receivable | 16,350.0 | | |
| Overlay, 1932 | 97.44 | | |
| Pond Street Resurfacing | 2,379.53 | | |
| | | | \$328,644.78 |
| | | | \$328,644.73 |

BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1935
DEFERRED REVENUE ACCOUNTS

| DEBIT | Apportioned Assessments not due: | CREDIT |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Sewers | \$13,804.94 | Sewer Assessments due 1936 |
| Sidewalks | 529.80 | Sewer Assessments due 1937 |
| Betterments | 8,877.64 | Sewer Assessments due 1938 |
| | | Sewer Assessments due 1939 |
| | | Sewer Assessments due 1940 |
| | | Sewer Assessments due 1941 |
| | | Sewer Assessments due 1942 |
| | | Sewer Assessments due 1943 |
| | | Sewer Assessments due 1944 |
| | | Sidewalk Assessments due 1936 |
| | | Sidewalk Assessments due 1937 |
| | | Sidewalk Assessments due 1938 |
| | | Sidewalk Assessments due 1939 |
| | | Sidewalk Assessments due 1940 |
| | | Sidewalk Assessments due 1941 |
| | | Sidewalk Assessments due 1942 |
| | | Sidewalk Assessments due 1943 |
| | | Betterment Assessments due 1936 |
| | | Betterment Assessments due 1937 |
| | | Betterment Assessments due 1938 |
| | | Betterment Assessments due 1939 |
| | | Betterment Assessments due 1940 |

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Betterment Assessments due 1941 | 851.52 |
| Betterment Assessments due 1942 | 668.14 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$23,212.38 |

BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1935

DEBT ACCOUNT

| DEBIT | CREDIT |
|-----------------------|--|
| Net Funded Debt | \$285,200.44 |
| | Sewer Loan, 1912 |
| | Sewer Loan, 1927 |
| | 8,000.00 |
| | Sewer Loan, 1928 |
| | 6,000.00 |
| | Sewer Loan, 1929 |
| | 12,500.00 |
| | Sewer Loan, 1932 |
| | 8,000.00 |
| | Sewer Loan, 1933 |
| | 3,000.00 |
| | Junior High School Building Loan |
| | 56,000.00 |
| | School Loan, 1928 |
| | 6,000.00 |
| | School Loan, 1930 |
| | 63,000.00 |
| | Highway Loan, 1930 |
| | 19,000.00 |
| | Highway Loan, 1933 |
| | 3,000.00 |
| | Highway Loan, 1934 |
| | 29,000.00 |
| | Highway Loan, 1935 |
| | 8,000.00 |
| | Water Loan, 1912 |
| | 2,000.00 |
| | Water Loan, 1933 |
| | 15,000.00 |
| | Water Loan, 1935 |
| | 25,000.00 |
| | Municipal Relief Loan |
| | 19,500.00 |
| | Tax Title Loan |
| | 18,200.44 |
| | ----- |
| | \$285,200.44 |

DEBT STATEMENT DECEMBER 31, 1935

TOWN OF STONEHAM

| | Rate | Total | Due 1936 | Due 1937 | Due 1938 | Due 1939 | Due 1940 | Due 1941 | Due 1942 | Due 1943 | Due 1944 | Due 1945 | Due 1946 | Due 1947 |
|-------------------------------|---------|------------|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|---------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| *Sewer, 1912 | 4 | 2,000.00 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sewer, 1927 | 4 | 8,000.00 | 4,000 | 4,000 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sewer, 1928 | 4 | 6,000.00 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | | | | | | | | | |
| Sewer, 1929 | 4½ | 12,500.00 | 4,000 | 4,000 | 4,000 | 500 | | | | | | | | |
| Sewer, 1932 | 4¼ | 8,000.00 | 4,000 | 4,000 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sewer, 1933 | 4¼ | 8,000.00 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | | | | | | | | |
| Highways, 1930 | 4 | 10,000.00 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | | | | | | | |
| Highways, 1933 | 5½ | 3,000.00 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | | | | | | | | |
| Highways, 1934 | 2¼ & 3 | 20,000.00 | 5,000 | 5,000 | 5,000 | 5,000 | | | | | | | | |
| Highway, 1935 | 1½ | 8,000.00 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | | | | | | | | |
| School, 1923 | 4¼ | 56,000.00 | 7,000 | 7,000 | 7,000 | 7,000 | 7,000 | 7,000 | 7,000 | 7,000 | 7,000 | | | |
| School, 1928 | 4 | 6,000.00 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | | | | | | | | | |
| *School, 1930 | 4 | 63,000.00 | 7,000 | 7,000 | 7,000 | 7,000 | 7,000 | 7,000 | 7,000 | 7,000 | 7,000 | | | |
| *Water, 1912 | 4 | 2,000.00 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | | | | | | | | | |
| *Water, 1933 | 5½ | 15,000.00 | 5,000 | 5,000 | 5,000 | | | | | | | | | |
| *Water, 1935 | 1¼ & 2¼ | 25,000.00 | 2,500 | 2,500 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| *Municipal Relief | 3 & 3½ | 19,500.00 | 6,500 | 6,500 | 6,500 | | | | | | | | | |
| *Emergency Finance, 1935 2½ | | 18,200.44 | payable monthly from redemption of tax titles | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 285,200.44 | 57,000 | 57,000 | 46,500 | 25,500 | 18,000 | 16,000 | 16,000 | 16,000 | 9,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 | 2,000 |
| *Outside of Debt Limit | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Debt within Debt Limit | | | | | | | \$140,500.00 | | | | | | | |
| Total Debt outside Debt Limit | | | | | | | 144,700.44 | | | | | | | |
| Debt Limit December 31, 1935 | | | | | | | 448,375.00 | | | | | | | |
| Debt within Debt Limit | | | | | | | 140,500.00 | | | | | | | |
| Borrowing Capacity | | | | | | | 307,875.00 | | | | | | | |
| Anticipation of Revenue Loans | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Due November 10, 1936 | | | | | | | 150,000.00 | Rate .32 Discounted | | | | | | |

CURRENT LIABILITIES

| CURRENT ASSETS | | CURRENT LIABILITIES | |
|---------------------------------|-------------|--|--------------|
| Cash Balance | \$71,671.96 | Accounts Payable: | |
| Accounts Receivable: | | Anticipation of Revenue Loan payable | 150,000.00 |
| Unpaid Taxes, 1935 | 155,741.83 | From Uncollected Taxes | 115.98 |
| Unpaid Taxes, Prior Years | 25,807.15 | Deposits for Services | 8.46 |
| | <hr/> | Tailings | <hr/> |
| | | | |
| Less Overlays for Abatements | 5,484.73 | RESERVES AND FUNDS | \$150,124.44 |
| | <hr/> | Appropriation Balances Unexpended | 25,098.66 |
| Net Total Collectible Taxes | 176,064.25 | Water Mains Loan (not appropriated) | 3,600.00 |
| Unpaid Excise Taxes | 748.00 | Overlay Reserve | 15,070.81 |
| Unpaid Moth Assessments | 812.65 | Reserve Against Uncollected Accounts | 34,073.40 |
| Unpaid Sewer Assessments | 3,072.03 | Reserve Against Tax Titles | 38,873.47 |
| Unpaid Sidewalk Assessments | 63.45 | Gift (Dental Clinic) | 35.00 |
| Unpaid Betterment Assessments | 1,948.98 | Scle of Lots and Graves (Held for Extension of Cemetery) | 8,800.00 |
| Unpaid Water Rates | 10,399.61 | Total Reserves and Funds | 125,551.34 |
| Due on Sewer Services | 580.49 | Trust Funds Cash | 67.50 |
| Due on Water Services | 98.12 | Grand Total Liabilities and Reserves | 275,743.28 |
| Due on State and Military Aid | 1,898.50 | Surplus of Assets Over Liabilities | 47,416.77 |
| Due on Soldiers' Burials | 100.00 | | |
| Due on Public Welfare Bills | 12,577.97 | | |
| Due on Old Age Assistance Bills | 1,773.60 | | |
| Due on Tax Titles held by Town | 38,873.47 | | |
| Due On Pond Street Resurfacing | 2,379.53 | | |
| 1932 Overlay Overdraft | 97.44 | | |
| | <hr/> | Total Current Liabilities | \$323,160.05 |
| Total Current Assets | <hr/> | | \$323,160.05 |

TRUST FUNDS

Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund—Principal:

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Balance, Jan. 1, 1935 | \$55,089.84 |
| Deposits | 950.00 |

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|----------------------------------|-----------|
| Balance, December 31, 1935 | 56,039.84 |
|----------------------------------|-----------|

Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund—Income:

| | |
|--------------------------------|-----------|
| Balance, January 1, 1935 | 10,941.09 |
| Interest Received | 2,537.28 |

| | |
|------------------------|----------|
| Expended on Lots | 3,099.00 |
| Expenses | 10.00 |

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|----------------------------------|-----------|
| Balance, December 31, 1935 | 13,478.37 |
|----------------------------------|-----------|

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|----------------------------------|----------|
| Total Principal and Income | 3,109.00 |
|----------------------------------|----------|

Invested as follows:

| | |
|---|----------|
| Stoneham Water Bonds | 2,000.00 |
| American Tel. & Tel. Co. Bonds | 5,000.00 |
| New Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co. Bonds | 5,000.00 |
| Western Union Tel. Co. Bonds | 5,000.00 |
| New England Power Co. Bonds | 5,000.00 |
| Stoneham Co-operative Bank | 4,800.00 |
| Malden Co-operative Bank | 2,000.00 |
| Woburn Co-operative Bank | 2,000.00 |
| Winter Hill Co-operative Bank | 1,000.00 |
| Cambridge Savings Bank | 4,000.00 |
| Charlestown Five Cents Savings Bank | 4,000.00 |
| Malden Savings Bank | 4,000.00 |
| Andover Savings Bank | 4,000.00 |
| Danvers Savings Bank | 4,000.00 |
| North Avenue Savings Bank | 4,000.00 |
| Salem Five Cents Savings Bank | 4,000.00 |
| Stoneham Five Cents Savings Bank | 2,597.77 |
| Melrose Savings Bank | 3,012.19 |
| Mattapan Co-operative Bank | 999.25 |

| | |
|--|-----------|
| | 66,409.21 |
|--|-----------|

Matilda M. Dale—Cemetery Fund:

| | |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| Balance, January 1, 1935 | 66.02 |
| Interest Received | 2.00 |

| | |
|----------------------------------|-------|
| Balance, December 31, 1935 | 68.02 |
|----------------------------------|-------|

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|--|----------|
| Invested in Stoneham Five Cents Savings Bank | 68.02 |
| J. Alden Stockwell Shade Tree Fund: | |
| Balance, January 1, 1935 | 1,272.45 |
| Interest Received | 45.72 |
| | ----- |
| Balance, December 31, 1935 | 1,318.17 |
| Invested as follows: | |
| Stoneham Co-operative Bank | 1,000.00 |
| Stoneham Five Cents Savings Bank | 318.17 |
| | ----- |
| Principal | 1,318.17 |
| Income Available | 1,000.00 |
| | ----- |
| 318.17 | |
| James W. McDonald School Medal Fund: | |
| Balance, January 1, 1935 | 312.47 |
| Interest Received | 9.33 |
| | ----- |
| Expended on Medals | 321.80 |
| | ----- |
| Balance, December 31, 1935 | 7.00 |
| | ----- |
| 321.80 | |
| Invested as follows: | |
| Stoneham Five Cents Savings Bank | 151.56 |
| Stoneham Trust Company | 163.24 |
| | ----- |
| 314.80 | |
| Principal | 291.00 |
| Income Available | 23.80 |
| | ----- |
| George L. W. Dike Library Fund: | |
| Balance, January 1, 1935 | 2,224.28 |
| Interest Received | 87.17 |
| | ----- |
| Expended for Books | 2,311.45 |
| | ----- |
| Balance, December 31, 1935 | 221.38 |
| | ----- |
| 2,311.45 | |
| Invested as follows: | |
| Stoneham Sewer Bonds | 2,000.00 |
| Stoneham Five Cents Savings Bank | 90.07 |
| | ----- |
| 2,090.07 | |
| Principal | 2,000.00 |
| Income Available | 90.07 |

Richardson Library Fund:

| | |
|---|--------|
| Balance, January 1, 1935 | 245.57 |
| Interest Received | 7.42 |
| | |
| Balance, December 31, 1935 | 252.99 |
| Invested in Stoneham Five Cents Sav- ings Bank | 252.99 |
| Principal | 100.00 |
| Income Available | 152.99 |

Annie H. Brown Library Book Fund:

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Balance, January 1, 1935 | 10,138.67 |
| Interest Received | 273.55 |
| | |
| Expended for Books | 10,412.22 |
| | 300.00 |
| | |
| Balance, December 31, 1935 | 10,112.22 |
| Invested as follows: | |
| Charlestown Five Cents Savings Bank | 4,000.00 |
| Andover Savings Bank | 4,000.00 |
| East Cambridge Savings Bank | 2,112.14 |
| Cash | .08 |
| | 10,112.22 |
| Principal | 10,000.00 |
| Income Available | 112.22 |

Board of Trade—Central Sq. Improvement Fund:

| | |
|---|-------|
| Balance, January 1, 1935 | 77.74 |
| Interest Received | 2.33 |
| | |
| Balance, December 31, 1935 | 80.07 |
| Invested in Stoneham Five Cents Sav- ings Bank | 80.07 |
| Principal and Income Available | 80.07 |

Alice J. Durgin Fund:

| | |
|---|----------|
| Balance, January 1, 1935 | 1,226.61 |
| Interest Received | 37.07 |
| | |
| Balance, December 31, 1935 | 1,263.68 |
| Invested in Stoneham Five Cents Sav- ings Bank | 1,263.68 |

Samuel H. Webber Town Hall Fund:

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Balance, January 1, 1935 | 46,656.11 |
| Interest Received | 1,419.14 |
| | 48,075.25 |
| Uncollectible Notes Deducted | 52.67 |
| | 48,022.58 |
| Balance, December 31, 1935 | 48,022.58 |
| Invested as follows: | |
| Stoneham Sewer Note | 1,000.00 |
| Stoneham Co-operative Bank | 4,000.00 |
| Malden Co-operative Bank | 2,000.00 |
| Winter Hill Co-operative Bank | 2,000.00 |
| Andover Savings Bank | 4,000.00 |
| Salem Five Cents Savings Bank | 4,000.00 |
| Danvers Savings Bank | 4,000.00 |
| Malden Savings Bank | 4,000.00 |
| Charlestown Five Cents Savings Bank | 4,000.00 |
| North Avenue Savings Bank | 4,000.00 |
| Melrose Savings Bank | 3,972.23 |
| Stoneham Five Cents Savings Bank | 10,440.75 |
| Mattapan Co-operative Bank | 598.50 |
| Cash | 11.10 |
| | 48,022.58 |
| Principal and Income Available | 48,022.58 |

BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1935

TRUST ACCOUNTS

| DEBIT | CREDIT |
|---|--|
| Trust Funds, Cash and Securities \$129,931.81 | Perpetual Care Fund Principal \$56,039.84 |
| | Perpetual Care Fund Income 10,369.37 |
| | Matilda M. Dale Cemetery Fund 68.02 |
| | J. Alden Stockwell Shade Tree Fund 1,318.17 |
| | James W. MacDonald School Medal Fund 314.80 |
| | George L. W. Dike Library Fund 2,090.07 |
| | Richardson Library Fund 252.99 |
| | Annie H. Brown Library Book Fund 10,112.22 |
| | Board of Trade Central Square Improvement Fund 80.07 |
| | Alice J. Durgin Fund 1,263.68 |
| | Samuel Hanson Webber Town Hall Fund 48,022.58 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$129,931.81 |

ANNIE H. BROWN LIBRARY BUILDING FUND

I, Charles A. Owen, Town Accountant of the Town of Stoneham, hereby certify that I have examined the account of E. Sohier Welch and George E. Brown, executors under the will of Annie H. Brown, who hold in trust the funds bequeathed to the Town of Stoneham for an addition to the Stoneham Public Library under Item 28 of the 10th Paragraph of the said will, with the following results:

| | |
|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Balance, January 1, 1935 | \$20,210.10 |
| Income Received | 837.50 |
| Securities Sold | 5,000.00 |
| | 26,047.60 |

Disbursements:

| | |
|---|----------|
| Bills approvevd by Library Trustees | 500.00 |
| Trustees' Compensation | 50.00 |
| Probate Fees | 3.00 |
| Securities Purchased | 5,000.00 |
| Interest on Securities Purchased | 44.44 |
| Premium on Securities Purchased | 331.25 |
| | 5,928.69 |

| | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| Balance, December 31, 1935 | 20,118.91 |
|----------------------------------|-----------|

Invested as follows:

| | |
|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Town of Stoneham Notes | 10,000.00 |
| Western Mass. Co. Bonds | 5,000.00 |
| Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Bonds | 5,000.00 |
| Cash | 118.91 |
| | 20,118.91 |

Attest:

CHARLES A. OWEN,

Town Accountant.

Middlesex, ss.

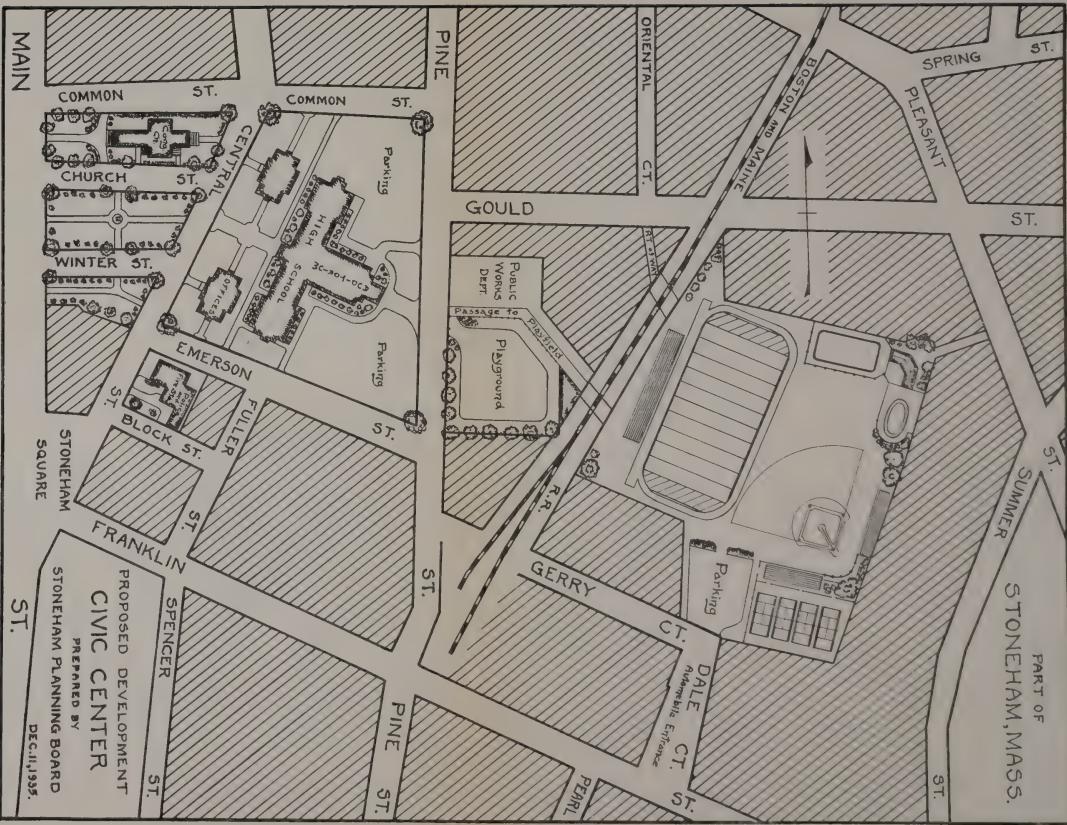
January 21, 1936.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this day.

LUTHER HILL, Notary Public.

| APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS | | | | |
|--|---------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| | Appropriation | Additions | Expended | Balances |
| General Government: | | | | |
| Moderator | \$25.00 | \$ | \$25.00 | \$ |
| Selectmen, Salaries | 275.00 | | 275.00 | |
| Selectmen, Miscellaneous | 1,765.00 | | 1,737.93 | 27.07 |
| Accounting Department | 1,687.50 | | 1,687.50 | |
| Treasurer and Collector, Salary | 2,187.50 | | 2,187.50 | |
| Treasurer and Collector, Expenses | 2,643.00 | A 2.00 R 36.70 | 2,681.70 655.50 | |
| Treasurer and Collector, Bonds | 655.50 | | 655.50 | |
| Assessors, Salaries | 1,100.00 | | 1,100.00 | |
| Assessors, Clerk | 1,466.66 | | 1,466.66 | |
| Assistant Assessors | 275.00 | | 261.00 | 14.00 |
| Street Lists | 500.00 | R 35.00 | 535.00 | |
| Assessors, Expenses | 500.00 | | 311.79 | 188.21 |
| Other Finance Accounts | 100.00 | P 62.90 | 109.90 | 53.00 |
| Law Department | 1,320.00 | | 1,237.84 | 82.16 |
| Town Clerk, Salary | 962.50 | | 962.50 | |
| Town Clerk, Expenses | 150.00 | | 150.00 | |
| Elections and Registration | 1,550.00 | | 1,054.99 | 495.01 |
| General Clerk Hire | 953.33 | | 953.33 | |
| Finance and Advisory Board | 50.00 | | 45.00 | 5.00 |
| Board of Appeal | 100.00 | | 72.40 | 27.60 |
| Planning Board | 50.00 | | 33.76 | 16.24 |
| Municipal Offices | 3,000.00 | | 2,917.43 | 82.57 |
| Armory Hall | 2,210.00 | | 2,197.43 | 12.57 |
| | \$23,525.99 | | \$136.60 | \$22,659.16 |
| | | | | \$1,003.43 |
| Protection of Persons and Property: | | | | |
| Police Department | 25,404.00 | R 140.00 | 25,543.96 | .04 |
| Police at Athletic Contests | 150.00 | | 125.00 | 25.00 |
| Fire Department | 20,378.00 | | 20,374.97 | 3.03 |
| Hydrant Service | 5,000.00 | | 5,000.00 | |
| Rifle Practice | 800.00 | | 756.33 | 43.67 |
| Sealing of Weights and Measures | 300.00 | | -258.50 | 41.50 |
| Inspection of Buildings | 940.00 | | 940.00 | |
| Inspection of Wires | 635.00 | | 635.00 | |
| Moth Suppression | 4,550.00 | | 4,444.10 | 105.90 |
| Moth Sprayer | 390.00 | | 385.00 | 5.00 |
| Tree Warden, Salary | 435.00 | | 435.00 | |
| Shade Trees | 1,420.00 | | 1,419.81 | .19 |
| | \$60,402.00 | | 140.00 | \$60,317.67 |
| | | | | \$224.33 |
| Health and Sanitation: | | | | |
| Board of Health, Salaries | 275.00 | | 275.00 | |
| Health Officer | 1,650.00 | | 1,650.00 | |
| Board of Health, General | 5,585.00 | | 3679.22 | 1,905.78 |
| Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital | 7,451.75 | | 7,451.75 | |
| Vital Statistics | 100.00 | | 80.25 | 19.75 |
| Dental Clinic | 1,100.00 | | 1,078.36 | 21.64 |
| Board of Health Nurse | 910.00 | | 910.00 | |
| Sewer Maintenance | 4,560.00 | R 1,500.00 | 6,059.48 | .52 |
| Sewer Services | 1,000.00 | R 500.00 | 1,490.82 | 9.18 |
| Sewer Construction, General | 1,500.00 | | 745.76 | 754.24 |
| Disposal of Ashes | 2,700.00 | | 2,700.06 | |
| Care of Dump | 720.00 | | 710.00 | 10.00 |
| Disposal of Garbage | 1,800.00 | | 1,766.64 | 33.36 |
| Miscellaneous Ashes and Garbage | 30.00 | | 14.40 | 15.60 |
| Comfort Station | 185.00 | | 173.00 | 12.00 |
| | \$29,566.75 | | \$2,000.00 | \$28,784.68 |
| | | | | \$2,782.07 |
| Highways: | | | | |
| Highways, General | 32,495.00 | A 2.00 R 18.37 | 32,510.37 | |
| Sidewalk, Tractor | 1,750.00 | | 1,750.00 | |
| Road Grader and Snow Plow | 3,200.00 | | 3,200.00 | |
| Summer Street | 2,471.58 | R 350.00 S 12,890.29 | 910.00 15,710.35 | |
| Summer Street (State Job) | 3,818.49 | | 3,812.51 | .98 |
| Pond Street | 14,000.00 | S 10,866.92 | 27,246.45 | *2,379.53 |
| Sidewalks and Edgestones | 3,000.00 | | 2,907.60 | 92.40 |
| Snow Removal | 12,425.00 | R 603.48 | 13,028.48 | |
| Street Signs and Beacons | 1,410.00 | | 1,368.39 | 41.61 |
| Street Railings | 500.00 | | 369.60 | 130.40 |
| Street Lighting | 14,000.00 | | 12,681.21 | 1,318.79 |
| Street Numbering | | R 25.00 | | 25.00 |
| | 89,065.07 | | 24,751.06 | 114,584.96 |
| | | | | 1,610.70 |
| | | | | *2,379.53 |
| Charities and Soldiers' Benefits: | | | | |
| Board of Public Welfare, Salaries | 275.00 | | 275.00 | |
| Board of Public Welfare, Clerk | 672.75 | R 20.58 | 693.33 | |
| Board of Public Welfare, Agent | 1,250.16 | | 1,250.16 | |
| Town Physician | 750.00 | | 750.00 | |
| Board of Public Welfare, Administration | 300.00 | | 252.12 | 47.88 |
| Outside Relief | 36,190.00 | A 24.50 R 1,988.80 | 38,203.30 | |
| Infirmary | 7,518.34 | R 759.28 | 8,257.62 | |
| Old Age Assistance, Administration | 30.00 | | 23.10 | 6.90 |
| Old Age Assistance, Clerk | 260.00 | | 260.00 | |
| Old Age Assistance, Agent | 455.00 | | 455.00 | |
| Old Age Assistance | 19,800.00 | A 32.00 R 1,200.00 | 20,584.68 | 447.32 |
| State and Military Aid | 2,500.00 | | 171.00 | 2,671.00 |
| Soldiers' Relief | 8,000.00 | A 7.00 R 155.14 | 8,162.14 | |
| Soldiers' Burials | | R 100.00 | 100.00 | |
| | 73,001.25 | | 4,438.30 | 81,937.45 |
| | | | | 502.10 |
| Schools and Library: | | | | |
| Schools, General | 151,673.00 | | 151,458.32 | 214.68 |
| Trade Schools | 2,000.00 | | 341.98 | 1,658.02 |
| Americanization School | 500.00 | | 322.92 | 177.08 |
| MacDonald School Medals | | T 7.00 | 7.00 | |
| Public Library | 7,525.00 | A 21.98 T 1,021.38 | 8,568.36 | |
| | \$161,998.00 | 1,050.36 | 160,698.58 | 2,049.78 |
| Recreation and Unclassified: | | | | |
| Parks and Playgrounds | 2,657.01 | | 2,655.83 | 1.18 |
| Tennis Courts | 2,494.71 | | 2,494.44 | .27 |
| Playground Steps | 1,345.55 | | 1,345.25 | .30 |
| Playground Ledge | 1,028.00 | | 1,028.00 | |
| Land for Dump | 800.00 | | 800.00 | |
| Christmas Lighting | 300.00 | | 289.00 | 11.00 |
| E. L. Patch Co.—Damage | 902.64 | | 902.64 | |
| Annie F. Doherty Estate—Easement | 100.00 | | 100.00 | |
| Gould Meadow Purchase | 826.84 | | 825.00 | 1.84 |
| Damage Claims | 1,000.00 | | 932.50 | 67.50 |
| Memorial Day | 600.00 | | 599.34 | .66 |
| Care of Soldiers' Graves | 250.00 | | 250.00 | |
| Rent of Veterans' Quarters | 800.00 | | 800.00 | |
| Fire Insurance | 3,000.00 | | 2,977.50 | 22.50 |
| Automobile Insurance | 1,000.00 | | 893.00 | 107.00 |
| Pensions | 1,003.75 | | 330.00 | 673.75 |
| Taxes on Town Property | 785.70 | | 785.70 | |
| Town Reports | 800.00 | | 753.00 | 47.00 |
| Travel Outside of State | 200.00 | | 184.10 | 15.90 |
| Federal Aid Projects | 25,036.59 | | 13,479.05 | 11,557.54 |
| W. P. A. Administration | 1,800.00 | | 189.45 | 1,419.55 |
| | 46,530.79 | | 32,604.80 | 13,925.99 |
| Enterprises and Cemeteries: | | | | |
| Water Maintenance | 16,300.00 | | 16,151.68 | 148.32 |
| Water Services | 2,000.00 | | 1,644.91 | 355.09 |
| Water Extensions | 17,501.44 | | 5,982.11 | 12,119.33 |
| Pond St. Water Main Relay | 3,900.00 | | 3,899.60 | .40 |
| Lindenwood Cemetery | 3,875.00 | T 3,099.00 | 6,942.94 | 31.06 |
| Pleasant Street Cemetery | 100.00 | | 100.00 | |
| Town Scales | 75.00 | | 41.00 | 34.00 |
| Care of Civic Center Property | 900.00 | | 680.40 | 219.60 |
| | 44,651.44 | | 34,842.64 | 12,907.80 |
| Interest and Maturing Debt: | | | | |
| Interest | 14,454.67 | | 12,759.28 | 1,695.39 |
| Debt | 62,500.00 | | 62,500.00 | |
| | 76,954.67 | | 75,259.28 | 1,695.39 |
| Grand Total | \$610,395.96 | \$35,615.32 | \$611,689.22 | \$36,701.59 |
| A—Refunds | | S—From State and County | | |
| P—Premiums | | T—Income of Trust Funds | | |
| R—From Reserve Fund | | —Due from State and County | | |

PART OF
STONEHAM, MASS.



MAIN

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STONEHAM
SQUARE

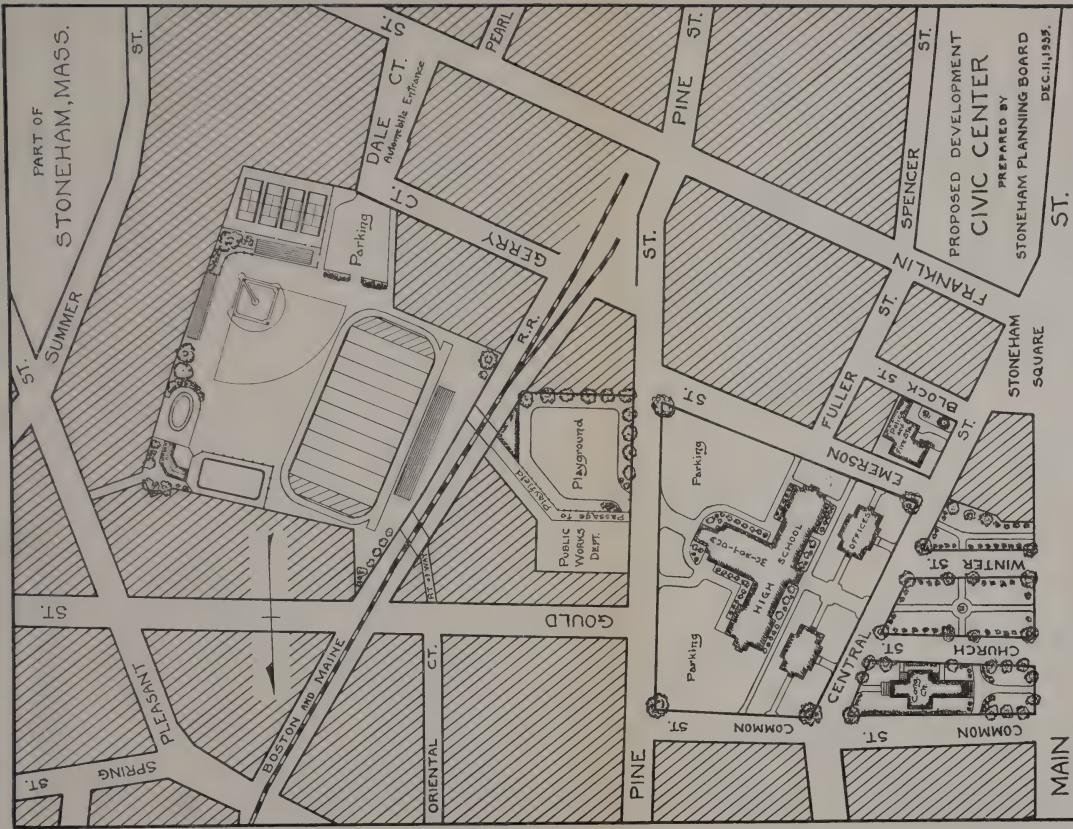
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FRANKLIN

SPENCER ST.

PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT
CIVIC CENTER

PREPARED BY
STONEHAM PLANNING BOARD
DEC. 11, 1935.





ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

OF THE

TOWN OF STONEHAM

1935

A DEMOCRACY OPERATES FREE PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND PASSES COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE LAWS, NOT THROUGH A SENSE OF CHARITY BUT BECAUSE IT REALIZES THAT EDUCATION IS THE ONLY MEANS IT HAS OF PERPETUATING ITSELF AND PROMOTING ITS OWN INTERESTS.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

James A. Patch, Chairman, 47 Lindenwood Road
Term Expires 1936

Nellie R. Storey, 269 Main Street
Term Expires 1937

Bertha A. Starr, 18 Everett Street
Term Expires 1936

C. Frank Munger, 114 Central Street
Term Expires 1938

Bernard M. Scully, 12 Flint Avenue
Term Expires 1937

Regular meetings are held at the High School at 8 P. M. on
the second Monday of each month.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS AND SECRETARY OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Charles E. Varney, 28 Waverly St., Telephone 1052
Office at High School, Telephone 0646

The superintendent may be seen by appointment
at your convenience

SECRETARY TO SUPERINTENDENT
Lydia N. Bagdikian, 59 Elm St., Telephone 0321-M
Office Hours:

School Days, 8:30-5:30
Saturdays, 9:00-12:00

School Vacations, 9:00-12:00; 1:00-4:00

1936 Winter Term ,January 2 to February 21
Spring Term, March 2 to April 24
Summer Term, May 4 to June 24 noon
Fall Term, September 9 to December 23 noon
High School graduation, June 12
Schools closed April 10, 20, June 17, October 12, October 16,
November 11, November 25 noon, 26, 27. December 23 noon.

1937 Winter Term, January 4 to February 19
Spring Term, March 1 to April 16
Summer Term, April 26 to June 25 noon
Fall Term, September 8 to December 23
High School Graduation, June 18
Schools closed March 26, May 31, June 17, October 12, Third
or Fourth Friday in Ocotober because of Middlesex County
Teachers' Convention, November 11, 24 noon, 25, 26

The state law requires the High School to be open 180 days.
The closing date must be made later than stated above if days are
lost during the year for inclement weather or other causes so
as to bring the total number of days at the closing date less than
180.

HOURS OF SCHOOL

Elementary Schools: Grades 1-2-3-4, 8.30-11.30; 1.15-3.15, Emerson
and South Schools.

9.00-11.45; 1.15-3.30, East School.

8.45-11.30; 1.15-3.30, North School.

Grade I may be dismissed 15 minutes earlier at each session.
Grades V and VI, 8.30-11.30; 1.15-3.45. Teachers may dismiss
at 3.15.

Junior High School, 12.50-5.09; 11.51-12.33 if required by teacher.
Senior High School, 7.50-12.33; 12.33-1.36 if required by teacher.

NO SCHOOL SIGNAL

22 on fire alarm.

No morning session. All grades 7.15 A. M.

Grades I to VI 7.30 A. M.

Grades I to IV 7.45 A. M.

No afternoon session:

Grades I to IX 12.00 noon.

Grades I to IV 12.15 P. M.

No-School announcements are also given over radio Staton WNAC
between 7.00 and 7.15 A. M., 8.00 A. M., and 12.00 noon to 1.00.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

At a meeting of the School Committee, January 13, 1936, it was voted to approve the report of the Superintendent of Schools and to submit it to the Town as the report of the School Committee.

JAMES A. PATCH, Chairman
BERTHA A. STARR
NELLIE R. STOREY
BERNARD M. SCULLY
C. FRANK MUNGER

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee of Stoneham, Massachusetts

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my seventh annual report as Superintendent of Schools of the Town of Stoneham. It is the forty-fifth in the series of such reports.

I call your attention to the reports of the School Nurse, and of the Faculty Manager of Athletics which follow this report.

Dr. Charles W. Eliot said, "An important function of the public school in a democracy is the discovery and development of the gift or capacity of each individual child." We who direct the work or teach the public schools of Stoneham strive to carry out this duty in so far as the circumstances under which we are working will allow. Such a report as this has the space to recount only a few of the methods we use to adapt our work to the individual needs. Although we must repeat some things from year to year much information about our schools could be gained by rereading the school reports for the last five or six years.

A Changing World

It is easy for us to see the changes that are taking place in the mechanical and social world about us. We should understand that similar changes must be taking place in the educational field if we are to prepare our young Americans to cope with conditions as they are now and as they will be tomorrow. Yet we hear so much about running our schools after the manner and by the same methods as were the schools of our youth.

Pupils must be given an opportunity to study and discuss all questions within their comprehension, this work being done under the direction of well trained teachers who can tactfully point out the false reasoning of some of the theories which are so beautifully pictured by their advocates. If this is not done, the young people become easy prey to some of these vicious, un-American schemes by which we are supposed to reach Utopia.

In Stoneham, in accord with most other New England communities, we strive to make changes in our school procedure gradually rather than by radical changes. We are continually studying our own plan and testing it to see if it really does give to your children and mine a sound foundation upon which future lives may be built.

Elementary Schools

Our testing program has been carried out in only a slightly different manner from last year. I therefore refer you to my 1934 report of this important phase of our school program.

During this last summer, Miss Alice H. Smith made a very thorough examination of all reading materials used in our elementary grades. This was done in order to summarize the types of reading now used and to enable us to add such new materials as are required to make up a well rounded course.

Our work in arithmetic and social studies continues to progress along the line of pupil needs. We have had visitors from other towns who have come to study our work in these subjects. Miss Alice H. Smith and your superintendent have had requests from other communities to address teacher and parent groups on arithmetic as taught in Stoneham.

Last spring the fourth grade pupils wrote and presented a historical play from their study of the Spaniards. This method of presentation helps children to secure better ideas of the real contributions of some of the early explorers. Too often they have been taught only the cruel side of the Spaniards. When pupils are encouraged to dramatize their social studies they come to feel that the past was once a REAL time in which people lived their lives and carried on their daily tasks according to the customs of their period.

Junior-Senior High Schools

Since our greatest problems now are in our high schools, I am devoting a large amount of space to them.

The reports of the past three or four years have contained so much material on the two-platoon system that it seems only necessary to put before the citizens a brief statement of the facts as they exist and to continue to point out the more serious difficulties as they affect general progress in the high school but especially as they affect the curtailment of educational opportunities in the junior high school. I again call your attention to school reports for the past five or six years.

There now seems to be a general agreement on the part of citizens that we actually need a new high school building. Con-

ditions due to the two-platoon system are better understood by the townspeople as our handicaps become increasingly serious.

Investigating committees appointed by the town have stated the necessity of the two-platoon system until a new building is provided. It is to be hoped that the present investigating committee will be able to make definite recommendations regarding a new building at the next town meeting.

Although most of our citizens and parents are naturally concerned with the dangers of the two-platoon system due to the release of children from school in the dark when traffic is at its height, the difficulty of preparing meals at all hours of the day, and the physical condition of the pupils due to the unnatural sequence of work and play, nevertheless other significant difficulties of an educational nature are less easily seen. Some of them are mentioned below. Those of us who are close to the work of the pupils every day realize keenly the things of which pupils are being deprived and which can never be made up to them.

Loss of Time

Under the two-platoon system every junior high school pupil loses 130 hours or 27 days of class room instruction a year. In the entire three years of the junior high school it will be seen that each pupil's loss amounts to about a half year's work. In short, he is expected to do three years' full work in two and half years and, moreover, is forced to do it under conditions which are unnatural.

The senior high school day is forty-seven minutes shorter than the average for senior high schools in Massachusetts. In a minimum school year of 180 days this means a loss of 161 hours.

Personal Habits and Character

More important even than the loss of time on academic work is the effect on the personal habits of our pupils. Thinking people must see that untimely hours, hastily swallowed meals, rush and confusion, and constantly altered routine cannot inculcate that regularity of habit or thoroughness of work that is important in the development of every child; nor can the school provide as fully as formerly the moral and spiritual influences needed, as long as teachers have so little opportunity for personal contact with individual pupils in the daily problems that involve honesty, reliability, self-control, and high manhood and womanhood generally.

Individual Help

A large per cent of the pupils in any class regularly need individual help from the teacher for success in their courses. It

is now very hard for junior high school teachers to give individual help. Pupils cannot be kept at the close of school and there is very limited opportunity to help them mornings. It also may be seen that a teacher who has from two hundred to two hundred fifty pupils reciting to him each day cannot begin to give the necessary help to those who need it. The increase in failures in our junior high school is due to these conditions.

Home Work

The short periods under the two-platoon naturally increase home work demands, yet it is obviously impossible for pupils to arrange a sane program which involves study, sleep, and play without one of these suffering. In the junior high school there are only four hours a day of class work thus necessitating more home preparation. Pupils should have six hours in school and almost no home work.

Other Factors

It would be possible to go on at length pointing out specific losses which occur in connection with co-curricular activities, orchestra practice, the class athletic program, individual health guidance, posture, and other necessary school functions, as outlined in previous reports. All have been woefully handicapped by the two-platoon system.

Temporary Solutions

While we are waiting to see what the town can do about providing an adequate building, some additional steps should be taken to partially correct conditions. We are now in our fourth year of the two-platoon system. The loss of time explained above in the junior high school plus the loss in the senior high school amount to nearly a year. I recommend, therefore, that, unless relief is to be provided soon, the School Committee consider the possibility of lengthening the high school course particularly in the preparatory curriculum by adding one year. This would involve complicated program arrangements and additional teachers. I see no other way of maintaining our standards or of fulfilling the time requirements set by the College Entrance Certificate Board. This would not be a solution of the problem by any means but it would help as a makeshift to make possible the completion of the regular courses of study. All the other unsatisfactory conditions in the senior high school would still be present, and the junior high school would continue almost as at present.

HIGH SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

The following tables show membership increases and enrollment by grades and courses.

TABLE I: Membership Increases

| Year | Average Membership | Percentage Increase |
|-----------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1930-1931 | 726.77 | |
| 1931-1932 | 762.11 | |
| 1932-1933 | 809.00 | |
| 1933-1934 | 840.00 | |
| 1934-1935 | 866.00 | |
| 1935-1936 | 871.00* | 19.8 |

*October 1st enrollment

TABLE II: Enrollment by Grades and Sex (October 1, 1935)

| Grade | Boys | Girls | Totals |
|-------|------|-------|--------|
| 7 | 74 | 63 | 137 |
| 8 | 78 | 80 | 158 |
| 9 | 83 | 89 | 172 |
| 10 | 79 | 69 | 148 |
| 11 | 70 | 58 | 128 |
| 12 | 74 | 50 | 124 |
| P. G. | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| | 460 | 411 | 871 |

TABLE III: Enrollment by Courses (October, 1935)

| Grade | College | General | Business | Practical | Arts | Totals |
|-------|---------|---------|----------|-----------|------|--------|
| 9 | 70 | 36 | 50 | 16 | 172 | |
| 10 | 66 | 36 | 34 | 14 | 150 | |
| 11 | 56 | 24 | 32 | 15 | 127 | |
| 12 | 47 | 35 | 37 | 13 | 132 | |
| | 239 | 131 | 153 | 58 | 581 | |

TABLE IV: Number of Pupils Per Teacher

| Year | Annual Average Membership | Teachers and Principals | Pupils per Teacher |
|---------|---------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|
| 1890-91 | 65. | 3. | 21.6 |
| 1900-01 | 118.7 | 5.75 | 20.5 |
| 1910-11 | 409.9 | 17. | 24.1 |
| 1920-21 | 459. | 19. | 24.2 |
| 1930-31 | 726.77 | 33.3 | 21.8 |
| 1931-32 | 762.11 | 34.6 | 22.0 |
| 1934-35 | 866. | 36.3 | 23.9 |

The Changing Functions of a Modern High School

A study of country wide high school conditions of twenty years ago reveals the fact that more pupils left school at the end of the ninth grade than continued through high school. Most of those that remained took the college course with the definite intention of continuing their education beyond the high school years. A few others took the business course in order to train for positions that were then open to high school graduates in the business world.

Most of these pupils who remained in high school were reasonably good students and were interested in securing an academic education or training for a profession.

Today it has become the common practice for all the children of all the people to finish high school. Because of this fact the nature of subject offerings in high schools has had to be greatly changed. . We no longer have only pupils who are good students or who are personally ambitious but we have to provide as well for those whose interest in academic studies is slight, and whose natural desires are far different than those of the group formerly in high school. It will be seen that the range of vocational aptitude of the new student group will vary all the way from those who can be eminently successful in their chosen professions, to those who will never do more than manual labor.

If we examine the occupations in the country today we find, that in general

- (a) about 25% are occupied in the professions and semi-professions.
- (b) about 25% are occupied in skilled trades.
- (c) about 50% are occupied in jobs including transportation, production, heavy industrial work, domestic service, selling, home making, etc.

It must be our purpose, therefore, inasmuch as practically all children attend high school today, to prepare them for these vocations in the approximate proportions named above, assuming that it is the purpose of the public schools to adjust individuals to the life of the nation as well as to influence and constantly improve the mental and spiritual life of the nation itself. However, it will always be the function of the secondary school to inspire its pupils to reach the highest levels in the civic and economic fields that their abilities make possible.

Providing courses to fit these different groups requires that a much more varied and more comprehensive program must be given in the high school than was true in the days when students prepared largely for college entrance or business occupations.

Preparation for citizenship is now the greatest objective for the largest number of our pupils.

Survey of Activities of Graduates

A state survey was recently completed of the status of all high school graduates of 1934. It is interesting to note the percentages of these young people employed and to compare the figures for Stoneham with those for the state.

One weakness in this survey however is apparent. It is not known how many of those registered as employed were engaged in full time or part time work.

| | State % | Stoneham % |
|---|-------------------|----------------------|
| Enrolled in colleges, universities, business schools, hospitals, etc. | 34.2 | 27.9 |
| Employed as clerks, industrial workers, domestics, waitresses, on the farm, and in gainful employment at home | 33.5 | 40.0 |
| Unemployed | 21.5 | 25.6 |
| Married | 1.1 | 1.6 |
| Deceased | .1 | .0 |
| Unaccounted | 9.9 | 6.9 |

National Youth Administration

Under the federal program of relief the National Youth Administration has made it possible for a few pupils to be awarded a sum not exceeding \$6.00 a month in order that they may continue in high school. Students who qualify are required to work twenty-four hours a month in the school or to maintain honor grades. Stoneham's quota is thirteen pupils, nine of whom are in the high school and four in the parochial school.

College Entrance

The high school continues to be on the approved list of the College Entrance Certificate Board. The privilege runs until 1937 at which time it may be renewed if conditions in the school warrant it. The very fine records made by our students in colleges for the last four or five years will, it is hoped, make it possible to cause our certificate privilege to be renewed. Changes in the course of studies, in the length of the day due to the two-platoon system, and the reduction in the number of teachers, however, will be factors which the College Entrance Certificate Board must take into consideration in determining approval.

As explained last year in this report the State Department of Education has already warned the school department that it

cannot long continue with State Approval in Class A if the two-platoon system continues.

The town may be proud of the record of its graduates in college. In the past five years practically all of our pupils entering college have gone directly from high school. Only a very small group have found it necessary to go to preparatory schools and most of these were pupils who either were not good students or those who seem to prosper only under the individual assistance that some preparatory schools can give in their very small classes. The colleges which have accepted our graduates in recent years are as follows:

| | |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Bates | Boston University |
| Bowdoin | Northeastern |
| University of Maine | Connecticut |
| Dartmouth | Syracuse |
| University of New Hampshire | University of California |
| University of Vermont | University of Arizona |
| Middlebury | Boston College |
| Massachusetts State College | Springfield |
| Worcester Tech. | Clark |
| Mount Holyoke | Mass. Teachers Colleges |
| Wheaton | Bridgewater |
| Radcliffe | Framingham |
| Simmons | North Adams |
| Tufts | Salem |
| Jackson | Lowell |
| Mass. Institute of Technology | Mass. School of Art |
| Harvard | Duke |

and many other technical schools, business colleges, and hospitals to which entrance is not as highly selective as in colleges.

Many of our pupils in these institutions have been on honor lists and dean's lists or have had other recognition of their personal and scholastic prowess by being chosen to fill responsible positions in various activities. Especially has this been true in the last three years. A large number have won scholarships.

Visual Education

We are taking advantage of the benefits of visual education and find improved results and greater permanence of the impressions made on pupils as well as additional interest and improved motivation. This aid to teaching, when sanely handled, is most worth while. Films have been obtained in most cases at comparatively little cost. The list for this year includes the Chronicles of America and many films for use in science and social studies.

Improvement of High School Grounds

The plan for improving the high school grounds made some five years ago was largely realized this year when, with the assistance of the E. R. A., the back and one side of the lot were completely graded and seeded. In the northeast corner steps were built providing a more satisfactory connection between the high school and the Pomeworth Street playground. Billboards in the vicinity were removed and the whole locality improved in appearance. A large number of shrubs have been set out around the steps and at other places in the yard. This last project became possible through the kindness of the Class of 1934 which left \$50 for the beautification of this corner as a memorial to Miss Fannie Davis, a former teacher in Stoneham High School. A few interested citizens have added their contributions to this fund.

Junior-Senior High School Library

Few people realize the amount of work done in the modern high school library. Note the statistical report of the use of our library during this year:

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|--------------------------------------|--------|
| Senior High School Non-Fiction | 2,784 |
| Junior High School Non-Fiction | 3,339 |
| Senior High School Fiction | 1,576 |
| Junior High School Fiction | 4,603 |
| Magazines | 1,080 |
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| Total Loans | 13,388 |

These figures indicate that pupils of both schools are using their school library privileges in broadening their knowledge of class room subjects by wider reference, and also in forming the habit of reading for pleasure. Good reading is not likely to become a leisure time activity for adults unless the habit is formed in school days.

The graduating class of 1935 showed its appreciation of the school library by making a gift of fifty dollars which the librarian has used to purchase needed additional books. This gift is especially appreciated at this time because our limited funds have not allowed us to maintain the library as well as it should have been.

We again express our deep appreciation to the Public Library for all that it has done to help us by keeping the rooms open in the morning for the accommodation of our junior high school pupils and teachers.

Arts

The work in Music, Drawing and Art, Domestic Science, Manual Training, and Penmanship has been curtailed during the last few years. All of the instructors have given of their very best to make the time which has been allotted these subjects count as much as possible. With the changing conditions which are everywhere about us, greater stress should be given to the Arts. They help to make our lives richer and happier. Many a young man will be kept off the street and in good company by his interest in one or more of these subjects which we may classify as Arts. Many a young lady will make her home a happier place in which to live because of the training she received from these courses taken in high school.

Maintenance

Occasionally we received some complaint because our buildings do not meet the high standards which I believe we have every right to expect. It was very gratifying, therefore, to hear one of our prominent business men say within this last year that he could not see how the buildings were kept up as well as they were on the small amount given the School Department for maintenance each year. Our buildings are kept as clean and in as good repair as possible under the circumstances.

During the last three years we have had some work done by men paid by the Federal Government. Much of this work has been very helpful and of good quality. This year men have been furnished to lay a new floor in the lower hall of the senior high school, to refinish a few pupils' desks, to grade our high school grounds, and to do a very few other little repairs.

No other large repairs have been done because they were not possible under our small budget allowance.

Adult Classes

Our evening school for students who wish to improve themselves in business subjects continues to maintain its high standards and attendance. There is each year a call for other academic subjects but not enough to form a class. Under the present school budget it would not seem advisable to add subjects which would involve more expense to the school department.

This year there are gymnasium classes for both men and women.

The adult arts and crafts classes under the auspices of the Federal Government continue to be very popular. In fact some classes are larger than can be easily handled. The work con-

tinues to be largely individual, therefore new students may enter at almost any time.

Our adult Citizenship classes enroll 35. No group of students are more appreciative of the opportunities afforded them than are these men and women.

Conclusion

It should be the desire of every true and patriotic teacher to be an impartial guide to the pupils under his care in their quest for knowledge and understanding. Nothing short of such guidance on the part of the public and private school teachers of this our own United States of America can save our country from finding itself in the seeming chaotic condition now apparently overwhelming some other countries. On the other hand, no attempt on the part of any teacher under the guise of academic freedom to teach any group of ideas which would lessen the loyalty of the pupils of their country **should be tolerated.**

I wish to express my deep appreciation to the members of the School Committee for their counsel, guidance, and cooperation, to those principals, supervisors, and teachers who have worked shoulder to shoulder with me for the best interests of our schools, and also to all other citizens whose support has enabled us to carry on a progressive school system.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES E. VARNEY,
Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

Inventory of the past year discloses continued progress, slowly but surely in the School Health Department. Percentages of gain are higher throughout

The most commonly known part of the work is the annual fall inspection of all the pupils—from the first through the twelfth grades—of eyes, teeth, throat, nose, ears, skin, scalp, posture, heart, lungs, nutrition and growth. The written notices of physical defects which were sent home after the fall inspection have been carefully followed up by home calls.

Real headway has been made with diphtheria immunization. Figures show nearly 60% of pupils in the first six grades having been rendered immune from that dreaded disease, diphtheria.

One of the most worth while bits of preventive and corrective work is being done in the Stoneham Dental clinic, the report of which will be found elsewhere in this book. The Townspeople seem slow to recognize this asset. They should demand definite

advancement in this direction in the nature of more hours of operation—this, in order to give many more children opportunity to visit the clinic for prophylaxis, treatment and advice.

Toothbrushes have been made available at 7 cents. Effort is made to insure every child owning one.

One of the most practical forms of Health Education comes with the School clinic for the promotion of the health of school children and the prevention of tuberculosis—the lectures that are given to teachers and to Senior High and Junior High School students about tuberculosis, the teaching of the method of doing the tuberculin test, and the interpretation of the X-ray plate to the local physician to whom the children are referred, if there is evidence of disease. The greater part of infection with Tuberculosis takes place in childhood, especially when there is exposure to this disease in the home. The work of the school clinics are to find children who are infected and to give advice when necessary. Instead of occasional examinations against tuberculosis of all school children it has been decided to examine annually those pupils in the 7th, 9th and 11th grades who wish to take advantage of this opportunity. By so doing three examinations will be made during the period of adolescence when tuberculosis shows its highest incidence and the adult type of the disease is more often found. This will become routine procedure and will be carried on regularly in cooperation with the School Physician and Board of Health. Last year 50% of the pupils of these grades were tested. As a result of the tests 17% were X-rayed.

Another eye clinic was held in Stoneham in December when 17 pupils received examinations. Of this number 13 were fitted to glasses. Through the generosity of several of the local organizations financial assistance was rendered where needed.

A pre-school clinic was again held as a means to the end that every child might enter first grade physically fit.

The work of studying the mental, physical and social aspects which make the total child and teaching him to strive for physical perfection as an ideal makes my work look like a kaleidoscope and it is every bit as colorful.

The enemies that every day threaten people throughout the world are ignorance, ill health and disease. The only weapon against these foes is knowledge. Our aim is to arm the children and through them the parents with this weapon in order that they may fight and give each child as its birthright the inheritance of health.

Respectfully submitted,
MARION L. FRANCHERE,
School Nurse.

REPORT OF FACULTY MANAGER OF ATHLETICS

I herewith submit my tenth annual report as faculty manager of athletics for Stoneham High School.

The frequent and complete accounts in the local press make it unnecessary to report in detail on the success of our teams in interscholastic competition. It is rather the function of this report to supply you and the public of Stoneham with a statement of the financial transactions of the Athletic Association.

May I take this occasion to point out that we have been successful in keeping our balance on the right side of the ledger only by a persistent drive on money raising social activities, and curtailing the number of home games in football. This year we were faced with the prospect of cutting down on the number of games to be played in interscholastic contests. Rather than reduce the schedule we chose to play the Thanksgiving game on the Reading enclosed field. Our share of the receipts from that game was \$206.48. We should have been unable to close our books without a deficit if we had not resorted to this measure. I sincerely hope that the time is not far distant when such a procedure may be unnecessary. Our boys and girls deserve athletic field facilities as good as those of our neighbor towns, and I know they will be provided as soon as we can see a way to finance them.

We are very grateful to the officials of the school department and to the public of Stoneham for the support given our many activities to maintain the standard of our athletic program.

The financial statement follows.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM M. NADEAU,
Faculty Manager of Athletics.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Receipts

| | |
|---|---------|
| Bank Balance January 1, 1935 | \$26.64 |
| General (including A. A. Show, Theatre Night, and Minstrel Show, etc.) | 552.85 |
| Circus | 431.11 |
| A. A. Dues | 54.50 |
| Basketball: | |
| Game Receipts | 61.97 |
| Baseball: | |
| Game Receipts | 64.14 |
| Hockey: | |
| Garden Tickets | 229.69 |

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|----------------------|-------|--------|
| Transportation | 14.97 | 244.66 |
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Football:

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|----------------------|--------|
| Game Receipts | 141.91 |
| Guarantees | 290.90 |
| Transportation | 5.00 |
| | 437.81 |

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|----------------------|------------|
| Total Receipts | \$1,873.68 |
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Payments

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|--|----------|
| General (Expenses of three benefit shows, awards, stationery, postage, etc.) | \$288.63 |
| Circus | 158.36 |
| Police | 25.00 |

Basketball:

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|----------------------|---------|
| Officials | \$74.00 |
| Transportation | 41.35 |
| Supplies | 58.15 |
| Dues | 2.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 16.25 |
| | 191.75 |

Baseball:

| | |
|----------------------|-------|
| Officials | 36.00 |
| Transportation | 22.30 |
| Supplies | 3.19 |
| Miscellaneous | 11.12 |
| | 72.61 |

Hockey:

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|----------------------|--------|
| Garden Tickets | 178.27 |
| Miscellaneous | 36.40 |
| Transportation | 38.35 |
| Supplies | 85.81 |
| | 338.83 |

Field Hockey:

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| Officials | \$3.00 |
| Supplies | 9.81 |
| Supplies | 9.81 |
| Transportation | 22.00 |
| | \$34.81 |

Football:

| | |
|------------------|--------|
| Officials | 105.50 |
| Guarantees | 25.00 |

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|--------------------------|------------|
| Supplies | 278.99 |
| Transportation | 167.58 |
| Miscellaneous | 32.95 |
| | 610.02 |
| Total Payments | \$1,720.01 |
| Check Book Balance | 153.67 |
| | |
| Grand Total | \$1,873.68 |

**REPORT OF THE WORK OF THE MIDDLESEX COUNTY
EXTENSION SERVICE IN STONEHAM
FOR THE YEAR 1935**

The agricultural work for the town was largely rendered to those interested in orcharding, market gardening, and home orchards. Several farm and home visits were made and spray service cards were sent out to seven fruit growers and two market gardeners.

Poultrymen were given assistance through the Extension Service and the specialist from the Massachusetts State College in diagnosis of brooding and feeding problems. Definite plans for remodelling of barns and poultry houses were submitted to farmers. Poultrymen have consulted frequently with the County Agent in control of disease.

Two groups of women enrolled for the course given in clothing construction and one has continued with the course given in home furnishings. Mrs. Elizabeth McRae, Mrs. Julia Junkins, Mrs. Esther Patridge, Mrs. Roscoe Thompson, and Mrs. Fred Blaisdell were leaders of these groups. One food preservation demonstration was given by the home demonstration agent. General information on homemaking is sent out regularly through bulletins and mothers' service letters.

This past year was undoubtedly the best year yet in 4-H club work. Nearly 150 boys and girls were enrolled who received instruction in clothing, food preparation, handicraft, canning, and gardening. The club members were supervised by eleven local leaders.

Club members took an active part in the town rally held in January, and the sectional field day held at the Fells as well as the County field day held at the Waltham Field Station. Stoneham club members also took an active part in the sectional rally held in Wakefield. Here the club led by Mrs. Elizabeth McRae won second place in the song contest.

Two splendid exhibits were held; one in the spring showing

the work done during the winter in sewing, cooking, and handi-craft; and one in the fall displaying canned products and vegetables.

Minerva Kendall and Betty Blaisdell were awarded the two-day trip to the Massachusetts State College on their fine work. Arthur Maghakian received one of the five medals awarded to Middlesex County garden club members by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society for "meritorious garden work". Inez Jones was awarded a week at the county camp held at the State College, on her splendid work over a period of six years. Prizes were awarded to several garden and canning club members by local organizations.

The success of club work is due to the fine cooperation of the following 4-H leaders and committee members: Charles E. Varney, chairman; Mrs. Gladys Armstrong, Mrs. Annie Colwell, Gladys Colwell, Mrs. Fred Doorley, Mrs. Doris Jacques, Clarice and Inez Jones, Carrie McDermott, Kathleen McLaughlin, Mrs. Elizabeth McRae, Leroy Ross, Arthur Maghakian, and Mrs. Alice Stetson.

COURSES FOR PROFESSIONAL ADVANCEMENT BY TEACHERS DURING 1935

| Teacher | Spring | Summer | Fall |
|-----------------------|--|---|---|
| Jeanette M. Bailey | Psychology of Self Development by Dr. Roback | | |
| Ruth E. Benson | This Changing World — Gardner Auditorium | | |
| Helen L. Briggs | | Travel — California and Northwestern Coast | Sweetser's Lecture — Wakefield |
| M. Ethel Chapman | | Community Leadership — Farm Bureau (N. H.) Scholarship | |
| Helen C. Collins | | Administration and Supervision for Elem. School Principals—B. U. | |
| 21 Janet F. Copland | | Enjoyment and Appreciation of Pictures—Brown University | |
| Luelia M. Dunning | | | |
| Ruth G. Finn | | | |
| Harriet E. Fitzgerald | | Historical Development of the English Language — B. U. Anglo-Saxon — B. U. Arts and Crafts — F. E. R. A. Classes. | Methods of Teaching Business Arithmetic — B. U. |

COURSES FOR PROFESSIONAL ADVANCEMENT BY TEACHERS DURING 1935

| Teacher | Spring | Summer | Fall |
|-------------------------|--------|---|--|
| Ruth Gerrish | | Books for Adolescents — Simmons College; Library Science — General Utility — Simmons College | Arts and Crafts — F. E. R. A. Classes. Pottery — Craftsmen's Club Winchester, Mass. |
| Florence H. Graham | | Methods of Teaching Me- chanical Drawing — M. I. T. Travel — California and Nor- thwestern Coast | Correction of Speech — Har- vard; Disorders — Harvard. |
| Walter R. Herrick | | Travel — Cruise to Haiti. | |
| Priscilla G. Hinchcliff | | Writers' Conference — Mid- dlebury College—Bread Loaf | |
| Alice F. King | | School of English. | |
| Vera C. Lawson | | Social Dancing for Teaching Y. W. C. A. The Modern Dance. | |
| Dorothy W. Marshall | | Demonstration Lecture Course—Miss Farmer's School of Cookery. | |
| William M. Nadeau | | Curriculum Construction — B. U. | Basics of Behavior; Mental Hygiene by Healey Browner |

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|----------------------|---|
| Carolyn Potter | —B. U. Arts and Crafts—F. E. R. A. Classes. |
| Anna M. Regish | Arts and Crafts — F. E. R. A. Classes |
| Alice E. Riggs | American History Since 1865; Music in the Element- ary School — Hyannis State Teachers College |
| Alexandra S. Roberts | Principles and Methods of Social Science by H. Rugg— State House |
| Genevieve A. Roberts | Tests and Measurements for Teachers; English Composi- tion — B. U. |
| Fannie M. Spinney | La France et les Francais— French Civilization; French Grammar and Composition; Methods of Teaching French —University of N. H. |
| S. Evelyn Stewart | Arts and Crafts—F. E. R. A. Classes |
| Earle T. Thibodeau | Arts and Crafts—F. E. R. A. Classes. |
| | Typewriting Course — Stone- ham Evening High School; Arts and Crafts—F. E. R. A. Classes. |

| COURSES FOR PROFESSIONAL ADVANCEMENT BY TEACHERS DURING 1935 | | | |
|--|--|--|------|
| Teacher | Spring | Summer | Fall |
| Charles E. Varney | Curriculum Construction — Thesis on "School Finance" | | |
| B. U | | | |
| Alice M. Walsh | | Art and Drawings—Art Craft Studio, Stoneham. | |

LIST OF TEACHERS AND OTHER EMPLOYEES

| | Subject or Grade | Special Teachers | Address | Date App. | Educated At |
|------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|---|-----------|--|
| Lenora Bessey | Library | | 31 Cedar Ave. | 1905 | Colby College |
| Walter M. Dalglish | Music | | 15 Richardson Ave., No. And | 1925 | Harvard |
| Karl P. Elerin | Physical Education | | 20 Norval Ave. | 1930 | Springfield College |
| Andrew S. Flagg | Art | | 36A Maple St. | 1929 | Mass. Normal Art |
| Marion L. Franchere | Nurse | | 4A Winthrop St. | 1923 | Winchester Hospital and Columbia Univer. |
| Vera C. Lawson | Physical Education | | 82 Central St. | 1927 | New Haven Normal |
| Dorothy W. Marshall | Domestic Science | | 22 Pomeworth St. | 1923 | Framingham Normal |
| Anna M. Regish | Pen., Type., Math., Jr. Bus. | | Tr 21 Myrtle St. | 1931 | Salem Normal |
| Alice H. Smith | Standards & Guidance (Half Time) | | Standards & Guidance (Half 167 Hancock St.) | 1897 | Salem Normal |
| Geoffrey W. Talbot | Shop | | 40 Norwell Rd., Melrose | 1926 | Tufts College |
| Norman P. Hersam | School Physician | | 20 Hersam St. | | University of California and Harvard Med. School |
| Herbert N. Louis | Supervisor of Attendance | | 16 Pleasant St. | 1936 | |
| Harry R. Dockham | Transportation Officer | | 13 Wright St. | 1926 | |
| Margaret M. McLaughlin | Clerk | | 125 Main St. | | |

STONEHAM HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION EXERCISES

| | High School | |
|------------------------|--|-----------------------------|
| Howard W. Watson | Principal | 39 Lindenwood Rd. |
| William M. Nadreau | Vice Prin., French, Math., Fac. Man. of Athletics | 66 Hancock St. |
| Helen B. Miller | Secretary | 12 Wright St. |
| Jeanette M. Bailey | Math., Soc. St., Eng., Sci. | 55 Central St. |
| Helen M. Barnes | Math., Lit., Occupations | 13 Hersam St. |
| Ruth E. Benson | Latin and French | 55 Central St. |
| Helen C. Collins | English | 337 Main St. |
| Rose K. Coy | English | 60 Middlesex Rd. |
| Elizabeth W. Crowell | Science | 55 Central St. |
| Kenneth W. Davis | Mathematics | 44 High St. |
| Katherine A. Devlin | English | 209 Hancock St. |
| 26 Luellia M. Dunning | Math., Biol., Sci. | 60 Central St. |
| Fannie Eastman | English, History | 75 William St. |
| Ruth G. Finn | Algebra, Bus. Arith. | 90 William St. |
| Harriet E. Fitzgerald | Math., Geom., Sten. | 55 Central St. |
| Eva M. Garland | Science, Biol., Chem. | 13 Pomeworth St. |
| Howard R. Gordon | Mech. Drawing, Shop | 36 Parkway Rd. |
| Walter R. Herrick | Econ. Geog., Sales-Law, | 15 Keene St. |
| Everett L. Hoyt | Econ. Law, Accts., Bus. Org. | 71 Green St. |
| Gertrude M. Johnson | Latin and French | 2 Lincoln St. |
| Alice F. King | Soc. St., Comp., Lit. | 14 Cottage St. |
| Mildred E. Leavitt | History | 3 Caper St. |
| Katherine B. MacCarron | Opportunity X | 14 Collincote St. |
| | | 1929 Tufts College |
| | | 1931 Bridgewater Normal |
| | | 1932 Boston University |
| | | 1927 Radcliffe |
| | | 1926 Middlebury & Harvard |
| | | 1925 Castine Normal & B. U. |

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|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|
| William G. Miller | Math., Science | 35 Butler Rd. | 1932 Holy Cross |
| Gladys F. Milton * | English | 50 Endicott Rd. | 1928 Wheaton College |
| Marion E. Pickering | Soc. St., Comp. | " | 1921 Castine Nor., U. of Me. |
| Henry R. Reed | English, History | 337 Main St. | 1930 Dartmouth and B. U. |
| Arthur W. Reynolds, Jr. | Physics, Chem., Sol. | 32 Maple St. | 1929 Harvard |
| | Geom. and Trig., Science | 241 Main St. | |
| Alexandra S. Roberts | Social Studies | 149 Hancock St. | 1930 Truro Normal |
| Eleanor L. Smith | Sten., Type. | 83 Central St. | 1932 Salem Normal |
| Fannie M. Spinney | French | 31 Pleasant St. | 1929 University of N. H. |
| Earle T. Thibodeau | History | 8 Benton St. | 1918 Tufts College |
| Edwin J. Whittemore | Mathematics | 43 Lincoln St. | 1913 Plymouth Normal |
| Thomas Flynn | Janitor | 123 Park St. | |
| Patrick Landers | Janitor | 7 Washington St. | |
| | | | |
| | | | Dean School |
| Helen R. Pearson* | Grade V | 60 Central St. | 1931 New Britain, Ct. Nor. |
| Marion E. Desmond | Grade V | 78 Elm St. | 1935 Boston University |
| Martha L. Mower | Grade V | 59 Central St. | 1929 Farmington Normal |
| Catherine E. Hubby | Grade V | 16 Peabody Rd. | 1931 Westfield Normal |
| Mildred C. Jensen | Grade V | 12 Cedar Ave. | 1926 Salem Normal! |
| Janet F. Copland | Grade VI and Principal | 17 Clematis St., Winchester | 1914 Salem Normal |
| Genevieve A. Roberts | Grade VI | 90 William St. | 1931 Bridgewater Normal |
| Rachel H. Steele | Grade VI | 40 Main St. | 1916 Bridgewater Normal |
| Eileen J. Tobin | Grade VI | 20 Lindenwood Rd. | 1930 Bridgewater Normal |
| Alice H. Smith | Grade VI (half time) | 167 Hancock St. | 1897 Salem Normal |
| Priscilla G. Hinchcliffe | Opportunity Y | 2 East St. | 1911 Salem Normal |
| Ernest T. Sands | Janitor | 7 Gould St. | |

| Emerson School | |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| Alice M. Walsh | Grade I and Principal |
| Ruth J. Cannon | Grade I |
| Marguerite M. Connell | Grade II |
| Ruth Gerrish | Grade II |
| Bessie W. Baker | Grade III |
| A. Dorothy Daley | Grade III |
| Alice E. Riggs | Grade IV |
| Eleanor H. Russell | Grade IV |
| Ernest L. Clark | Janitor |
| East School | |
| Grace K. Fletcher* | Grade I |
| Doris V. Hunt** | Grade I |
| Florence C. Ruggles | Grade I |
| Carolyn S. Potter | Grade II |
| M. Ethel Chapman | Grade III and Principal |
| Lydia H. Freitag | Grade IV |
| Ambrose E. Wright | Janitor |
| North School | |
| Gladys F. Lovejoy | Grade I |
| Marjorie F. Markham | Grade II |
| S. Evelyn Stewart | Grade III |
| Florence H. Graham | Grade IV and Principal |
| Charles E. White | JJanitor |
| 1901 Stoneham Training | |
| 1925 Farmington Normal | |
| 1932 Salem Normal | |
| 1933 Perry Kdg. Normal | |
| 1928 Hyannis Normal | |
| 1930 Bridgewater Normal | |
| 1928 Hyannis Normal | |
| 1929 Farmington Normal | |
| 1932 Bridgewater Normal | |
| 1935 Bridgewater Normal | |
| 1933 Perry Kdg. Normal | |
| 1934 North Adams Normal | |
| 1925 Miss Rust's Kdg. Nor. | |
| 1925 Yale University | |
| 1926 Hyannis Normal | |
| 1934 Framingham Normal | |
| 1931 Farmington Normal | |
| 1910 Stoneham Training | |
| 4 Tremont St. | |

South School

| | | |
|------------------|------------------------|----------------|
| Betty M. Foster | Grade I | 19 Lincoln St. |
| Helen L. Briggs | Grade II and Principal | 23 Maple St. |
| Irene G. Bagley | Grade III | 36 Warren St. |
| Marcia E. Soule* | Grade IV | 55 Central St. |
| Rosemary Hamill | Grade IV | 113 Park St. |
| James H. Duncle | Janitor | 533 Main St. |

Evening School

| | | |
|-----------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Elizabeth G. McDonald | Americanization School | 10 Hill St., Winchester |
| Lydia N. Bagdikian | Stenography | 59 Elm St. |
| Anna M. Regish | Typewriting, Pen. | 21 Myrtle St. |
| Lorimer Sargent | Bkpk., English, Type. | 21 Duncklee Ave. |
| A. Leonard Miller | Physical Education | 2 Parkway Rd. |
| Alice M. Riley | Physical Education | 4 Albion Ave. |

* Left in June.
** Left in December

AGE AND GRADE REPORT, OCTOBER 1, 1935
 STONEHAM, MASSACHUSETTS

| Grade | Age | AGE | | | | | | | | | | | | Totals | | | |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|--------|----|----|------|
| | | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 1 | 45 | 89 | 12 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 146 |
| 2 | — | 35 | 76 | 19 | 2 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 132 |
| 3 | — | 2 | 26 | 103 | 13 | 2 | 1 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 147 |
| 4 | — | — | — | 37 | 79 | 12 | 4 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 132 |
| 5 | — | — | — | — | 36 | 80 | 23 | 6 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 145 |
| 6 | — | — | — | — | — | 40 | 83 | 20 | 5 | 2 | — | — | — | — | — | — | 150 |
| 7 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 25 | 77 | 20 | 9 | 6 | — | — | — | — | 137 |
| 8 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 41 | 82 | 24 | 9 | 2 | — | — | — | 158 |
| 9 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 1 | 35 | 94 | 34 | 6 | 1 | — | 1 | 172 |
| 10 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 36 | 80 | 23 | 5 | 4 | — | — | 148 |
| 11 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 6 | 38 | 54 | 27 | 1 | 2 | — | 128 |
| 12 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 33 | 66 | 19 | 3 | 3 | 124 |
| P. G. | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 2 | 2 | — | 4 |
| Oppy. Rooms | — | — | — | — | 2 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 2 | — | — | — | — | — | — | 27 |
| Totals | 45 | 126 | 114 | 161 | 131 | 140 | 143 | 152 | 144 | 173 | 167 | 118 | 101 | 26 | 6 | 3 | 1750 |

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SENIOR CLASS CHORUS

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| | |
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PROPOSED 1936 BUDGET AND BUDGETS FOR THE PAST FIVE YEARS GIVEN FOR COMPARISON
 I INSTRUCTION AND GENERAL CONTROL

| | 1931 Budget | 1932 Budget | 1933 Budget | 1934 Budget | 1935 Budget | Proposed |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Salaries | \$131,235.00 | \$135,208.00 | \$121,140.00 | \$112,950.00 | \$113,826.00 | \$122,535.00 |
| Books | 7,180.00 | 4,180.00 | 3,000.00 | 4,200.00 | 4,200.00 | 4,200.00 |
| Supplies | 5,766.00 | 4,766.00 | 3,000.00 | 4,800.00 | 4,800.00 | 4,800.00 |
| II OPERATION | | | | | | |
| Salaries | 9,450.00 | 9,350.00 | 8,250.00 | 7,935.00 | 8,086.00 | 8,367.50 |
| Fuel | 6,075.00 | 6,030.00 | 4,620.00 | 6,350.00 | 6,416.00 | 6,615.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 4,200.00 | 5,000.00 | 4,500.00 | 4,500.00 | 4,500.00 | 4,450.00 |
| III MAINTENANCE | | | | | | |
| Repairs | 2,794.00 | 2,182.00 | 2,000.00 | 3,315.00 | 3,500.00 | 3,500.00 |
| IV AUXILIARY AGENCIES | | | | | | |
| Health | 3,500.00 | 3,500.00 | 2,940.00 | 2,825.00 | 2,895.00 | 2,912.50 |
| Transportation | 2,760.00 | 3,538.00 | 2,500.00 | 1,500.00 | 1,500.00 | 1,500.00 |
| Tuition | 1,347.00 | 700.00 | 40.00 | 650.00 | 650.00 | 750.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 500.00 | 500.00 | 250.00 | 300.00 | 300.00 | 300.00 |
| V OUTLAY | | | | | | |
| New Equipment | 1,693.00 | 946.00 | 340.00 | 500.00 | 1,000.00 | 991.75 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$176,500.00 | \$175,900.00 | \$152,940.00 | \$149,825.00 | \$151,673.00 | \$160,921.75 |

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR STONEHAM SCHOOLS FOR 1936

I INSTRUCTION AND GENERAL CONTROL

| | 1935 Budget | Proposed 1936 Budget |
|----------------|--------------|-------------------------|
| Salaries | \$113,826.00 | \$122,535.00 |
| Books | 4,200.00 | 4,200.00 |
| Supplies | 4,800.00 | 4,800.00 |

II OPERATION

| | | |
|---------------------|----------|----------|
| Salaries | 8,086.00 | 8,367.50 |
| Fuel | 6,416.00 | 6,615.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 4,500.00 | 4,450.00 |

III MAINTENANCE

| | | |
|---------------|----------|----------|
| Repairs | 3,500.00 | 3,500.00 |
|---------------|----------|----------|

IV AUXILIARY AGENCIES

| | | |
|----------------------|----------|----------|
| Health | 2,895.00 | 2,912.50 |
| Transportation | 1,500.00 | 1,500.00 |
| Tuition | 650.00 | 750.00 |
| Miscellaneous | 300.00 | 300.00 |

V OUTLAY

| | | |
|---------------------|--------------|--------------|
| New Equipment | 1,000.00 | 991.75 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$151,673.00 | \$160,921.75 |

Other items which require special articles in the warrant as usual:

| | |
|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Trade Schools, usual amount | \$2,000.00 |
| Americanization | 500.00 |
| Police Service | 150.00 |

One-half the amount expended for Trade Schools and approximately one-half expended for Americanization classes is refunded by the State to partially reimburse the town on these two items.

| | |
|------------------------|-------------|
| State Income Tax | \$13,530.00 |
| Tuition | 2,700.11 |
| Rent of Land | 5.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total | \$16,235.11 |

\$160,921.75 less \$16,235.11 equals \$144,686.64, amount to be raised by town.

A BRIEF EXPLANATION OF ITEMS IN THE BUDGET

I INSTRUCTION AND GENERAL CONTROL

Salaries: The increase in salaries is due to the restoration of one-half of the pay cuts as of September 1, 1935, to

the annual increments due some teachers, and to one additional teacher for the junior-senior high school beginning as of September 1, 1936.

Books and Supplies: These two items are the same as last year. The amounts are the minimum with which we can supply each pupil with necessary working materials.

II OPERATION

Salaries: The increase in salaries is due to the restoration of one-half the pay cuts as of September 1, 1935.

Fuel Estimates:

Anthracite

| | |
|--------------------|---------|
| North School | 35 tons |
| East School | 35 tons |
| South School | 40 tons |
| Dean School | 90 tons |

200 tons @ \$13—\$2,600.00

Bituminous

| | |
|----------------------|----------|
| Emerson School | 85 tons |
| Dean School | 30 tons |
| High School | 450 tons |

565 tons @ \$7—\$3,955.00

Wood for starting fires 60.00

Total \$6,615.00

Miscellaneous: This item includes the following:

Electricity \$2,800.00

Gas 125.00

Water 450.00

150 cases towels at \$2.50 375.00

10 cases toilet paper at \$6.50 65.00

Cleaning materials, floor brushes, etc. 250.00

110 gals. floor treatment at \$2.50 275.00

Disinfectant, etc. 80.00

50 gals. liquid hand soap at \$.60 30.00

Total \$4,450.00

Our electricity in 1934 cost \$2,772.32, gas \$71.49, water \$424.22. The estimate increase in the cost of gas is due to the 4-H Canning Club which is using our kitchen a longer period during the week than it is used by our cooking classes. We, of course, do not know how long this canning work will be allowed by the Federal Government.

III MAINTENANCE

Repairs: The value of the public school buildings, grounds, and equipment is approximately \$470,000. At the rate of three-fourths of one per cent it would cost \$3,525 for maintenance. Most of our buildings and much of our equipment are old and therefore expensive to maintain. It is VERY difficult to keep our buildings in a reasonable condition at this low cost.

The work done by the E.R.A., especially the painting of the classrooms in the Junior High School, has helped us to catch up on some of the much needed repairs. The laying of the floor in the lower corridor of the Senior High School by E.R.A. help has also enabled us to keep within our budget.

IV AUXILIARY AGENCIES

Health: The slight increase in this item is due to the restoration of one-half the salary cuts as of September 1, 1935. The amount includes the salaries of the school nurse and the school physician and all the supplies used in the health work of the public schools.

Transportation: Same as last year.

Tuition: For the school year 1934-35 we paid the town of Wakefield and the city of Melrose tuition to the amount of \$749.85. This amount varies from year to year.

Miscellaneous: Same as last year.

V OUTLAY

| New Equipment: | |
|---|--------------|
| 100 steel chairs at \$2.50 | \$250.00 |
| 50 locks for pupils' lockers at \$1.10 | 55.00 |
| Miscellaneous shop equipment | 75.00 |
| Science equipment | 290.00 |
| New calculator | 210.00 |
| Steel files needed for offices and classrooms | 111.75 |
| Total | \$991.75 |

ABSENCES OF TEACHERS FOR WHICH THEY WERE PAID

SALARY FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1934-35

(This does not include leaves of absence or other unpaid absence)

ON ACCOUNT OF THEIR OWN SICKNESS OR ACCIDENT

| | |
|--------------------------|-------|
| Total days | 177.5 |
| Average days per teacher | 2.5 |

ON ACCOUNT OF OTHER EMERGENCIES

| | |
|--------------------------------|------|
| Total days | 34.0 |
| Average days per teacher | .5 |

MEDIAN AGES OF PUPILS BY GRADES, OCTOBER 1, 1935

| | |
|---------------|------------------|
| Grade I | 6 years 3 months |
| II | 7 " 3 " |
| III | 8 " 4 " |
| IV | 9 " 1 " |
| V | 10 " 4 " |
| VI | 11 " 3 " |
| VII | 12 " 5 " |
| VIII | 13 " 4 " |
| IX | 14 " 4 " |
| X | 15 " 4 " |
| XI | 16 " 3 " |
| XII | 17 " 5 " |
| P. G. | 18 " 1 " |

INDEX

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|--|-----|
| Accountant | 131 |
| Animal Inspector | 116 |
| Appeal, Board of | 45 |
| Assessors | 46 |
| Births | 61 |
| Building Inspector | 114 |
| Deaths | 82 |
| Dental Clinic | 57 |
| Election, Town Officers | 14 |
| Emergency Relief Administrator | 119 |
| Fire Department | 109 |
| Health Department | 54 |
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TOWN WARRANT

To J. Clarence Nelson or either of the Constables of the Town of Stoneham, in the County of Middlesex, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Stoneham ,qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in Armory Hall,

MONDAY, MARCH, 2, 1936

at seven o'clock in the morning, to act on the following articles of this warrant:

Article 1. To choose the following officers:

Moderator for one year.

Three Selectmen for one year.

Treasurer for one year.

Tax Collector for one year.

One Assessor for three years.

One member of the Board of Public Welfare for three years.

Three Constables for one year.

One member of the Board of Health for three years.

Two members of the School Committee for three years.

One Park Commissioner for three years.

Tree Warden for one year.

Two Trustees of the Public Library for three years.

One Trustee of Lindenwood Cemetery for five years.

All on one ballot.

The polls will be open at seven o'clock in the forenoon and closed at eight o'clock in the evening.

For consideration of the following articles, the meeting will be adjourned to meet at thirty minutes after seven o'clock in the evening, on MONDAY, MARCH 9, 1936.

Article 2. To choose all other necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing in such manner as the Town shall determine.

Article 3. To hear the reports of Town Officers and Committees and to act thereon and to choose Committees.

Article 4. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and to make appropriations for the same.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1936 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money for general municipal purposes under authority of and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 49, of the Acts of 1933 as amended by Chapter 300 of the Acts of 1935, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to grant free use of Armory Hall to Veterans' organizations and to organizations of a community nature.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to pay the rent of quarters or to lease quarters for the use of J. P. Gould Post No. 75, G. A. R.; Leon E. Warren Camp 31, U. S. W. V.; Stoneham Post No. 115, American Legion, raise and appropriate money therefor or do anything in relation thereto.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Health to appoint one of its Board members, Health Officer and Milk Inspector and raise and appropriate money therefor.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for Christmas lighting, appoint a committee to expend such sum or do anything in relation thereto. (Planning Board.)

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the Town's share of WPA expenses and determine how the appropriation shall be raised, by borrowing or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. (Selectmen.)

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell, after first giving notice of the time and place of sale by posting such notice of sale in some convenient and public place in the town fourteen days at least before the sale, property taken by the town under tax title procedure provided that the Selectmen or whomsoever they may authorize to hold such public auction may reject any bid which they deem inadequate, or take any action relative thereto. (Selectmen.)

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to repair Armory Hall, raise and appropriate money therefor or do anything in relation thereto. (Selectmen.)

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the pruning of dead wood from the elms, and for the removal of any dead or dying elms on the public streets or do anything in relation thereto. (Selectmen.)

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a truck for the Infirmary and authorize the disposal of truck now on hand or do anything in relation thereto. (Board of Public Welfare.)

Article 16. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum sufficient to pay the County of Middlesex as required by law on account of assessments levied on the town for its share of the principal of the Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital Funding Loan, Act of 1932 bonds maturing in 1936, issued in compliance with Chapter 10 Acts of 1932, also for any other indebtedness incurred and outstanding under said Chapter 10, also for the town's share of the cost and interest on said bonds due in 1936, also for the care, maintenance, and repair of said hospital for 1935, and including interest on temporary notes issued therefor in accordance with sections of Chapter 111 of the General Laws applicable thereto, and for all other expenses in connection therewith, determine how the money shall be raised, or in any way act thereon.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to purchase a cruising automobile equipped with radio for the Police Department, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do anything in relation thereto. (Police Department.)

Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay for the installation of traffic signals at the junction of Main st and Hancock st, or do anything in relation thereto. (Police Department.)

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the addition of two police patrol boxes (one located at Spring st and Stevens st and one at Pomeworth Street Playground) to the present police signal system, or do anything in relation thereto. (Police Department.)

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a motorcycle equipped with radio for the police department and authorize said department to sell or turn in one motorcycle now on hand or do anything in relation thereto. (Police Department.)

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the installation of a teletypewriter in the police department or do anything in relation thereto. (Police Department.)

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for radio service from the Town of Arlington, or do anything in relation thereto. (Police Department.)

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a truck for the Moth Department and authorize the disposal of truck now on hand or do anything in relation thereto. (Superintendent of Moth Work.)

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of an automobile for the use of the Chief of the Fire Department or do anything in relation thereto. (Fire Department.)

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to reconstruct the Fire Alarm System, raise and appropriate money therefor or do anything in relation thereto. (Fire Department.)

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Public Town Way, Royal st as laid out by the Board of Survey, or do anything in relation thereto. (Residents of Street.)

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the construction of Royal st under the laws relating to the assessment of betterments, or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. (Residents of Street.)

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to resurface Summer st, between Franklin st and Gould st, or any part thereof, raise and appropriate money therefor by the sale of notes, bonds or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. (Selectmen.)

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to resurface Spring st, between East st and the Stoneham-Wakefield line, or any part thereof, raise and appropriate money therefor by the sale of notes, bonds or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. (Selectmen.)

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to resurface William st throughout its entire length, or any part thereof, raise and appropriate money therefor by the sale of notes, bonds or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. (Selectmen.)

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of two dump trucks for the Public Works Department and authorize the disposal of two trucks now on hand or do anything in relation thereto. (Superintendent of Public Works.)

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a compressor for the Public Works Department or do anything in relation thereto. (Superintendent of Public Works.)

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purchase of a caterpillar tractor and plow for sidewalks for the Public Works Department or do anything in relation thereto. (Superintendent of Public Works.)

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to enlarge the drain running through Fordell Park (so-called) laid out by the County Commissioners in the year 1899, raise and appropriate money therefor or do anything in relation thereto. (Superintendent of Public Works.)

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to construct asphalt concrete sidewalks in the following streets under provisions of Chapter 83, General Laws, raise and appropriate money therefor or do anything in relation thereto:

Marble st, between Main st and Stoneham-Winchester line. Franklin st, between Stevens st and Stoneham-Melrose line. Elm st, between Norval ave and Stoneham-Wakefield line. Montvale ave, between railroad crossing and Stoneham-Woburn line. (Superintendent of Public Works.)

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to erect a High School Building, raise and appropriate money therefor by the sale of notes, bonds or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. (James A. Patch.)

Article 37. To see if the Town will vote to erect an Elementary School Building, raise and appropriate money therefor by the sale of notes, bonds or otherwise, or do anything in relation thereto. (James A. Patch.)

Article 38. To see if the Town will vote to purchase for a playground a certain parcel of land owned by George Cole bounded by Park, Winthrop and Dean sts and other land of Cole, containing 77,219 sq. ft. of land, more or less, as shown on a plan made by Russell C. Chase, C. E., dated Jan. 6, 1931, raise and appropriate money therefor, or do anything in relation thereto. (Planning Board.)

Article 39. To see if the Town will vote to purchase for a playground a certain parcel of land owned by Joseph Butler on Pine Street, containing 56,986 sq. ft of land and bounded by Pine Street, by land of the Public Works Department on the north; by land of the B. & M. R. R. on the east and land of Joseph A. M. Ervin on the south; raise and appropriate money therefor, or do anything in relation thereto.

Article 40. To see if the Town will vote to provide for pipe and filling in the Gould Meadow playground, raise and appropriate money therefor or do anything in relation thereto. (Park Commissioners.)

Article 41. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for landscaping and a guard rail at the Pomeworth Street Playground, or do anything in relation thereto. (Park Commissioners.)

Article 42. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for the construction of three tennis courts at the Pomeworth Street Playground, or do anything in relation thereto. (Park Commissioners.)

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate money for playground equipment, or do anything in relation thereto. (Park Commissioners.)

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to amend the By-Laws by adding the following to be known as Article XV:

Article XV

Regulation of Advertising Signs and Billboards

Section 1. Authorizations. In conformity with the General Laws and lawful state regulations for the proper control and restriction of outdoor advertising devices, and without relaxing any restrictions on said devices imposed by such regulations, said devices in the Town of Stoneham are hereby further restricted as provided in the following sections.

Section 2. Exemptions. This bylaw shall apply exclusively to outdoor advertising within public view of any highway, public park or reservation. It shall not apply to signs or other devices controlled under the provisions of Section 1, 2, or 8, of Chapter 85, General Laws, or to signs or other devices on or in the rolling stock, stations, subways or structures of or used by common carriers, except advertising devices on bridges or viaducts or abutments thereof; and, except for lawful restrictions as to size and location, it shall not apply to signs or other devices which advertise or indicate either the person occupying the premises in question or the business transacted thereon or advertise the property itself or any part thereof as for sale or to let and which contain no other advertising matter. It also shall not apply to any advertising device legally permitted and maintained on the date of the taking effect of this by-law, until one year after the first day of July next following said date.

Section 3. Definitions:

“Advertising Devices” shall mean billboards, painted bulletins, poster panels, signs, placards and other outdoor units designed to call public attention to the matter displayed thereon.

“Advertising Sign” or “Sign” shall mean any outdoor advertising device.

"Sign-board" shall mean any structure designed for displaying an outdoor advertisement.

"Highway" shall mean any public way.

"Public Park" shall mean a piece of public land of at least 5,000 sq. ft. set apart for beauty and public enjoyment.

"Public Reservation" shall mean a piece of public land set apart for recreational use, as a state or municipal forest, as a protection to a public water supply, as a memorial, or cemetery, or as a place of unusual scenic or historical interest.

"Permitted" shall mean authorized by an official permit.

"Display" shall mean to make or maintain visible from any highway, public park or reservation.

"Area" of a sign or signboard shall mean the area of the face view of the entire device, including all attachments except supports and lattice at the base thereof.

"Residential District" shall mean any area zoned as residential.

"Non-Conforming Business" shall mean a business located in a residential or rural district, other than such rural business as farming or the raising and sale on the same premises of farm, garden or orchard products.

"Lawful Sign" shall mean any out-door advertising device not prohibited by any provision of law or by any lawful regulation.

"Accessory Sign" shall mean any outdoor advertising device which carries only advertisements strictly incidental and subordinate to a lawful use of the premises on which it is located, including signs indicating business transacted or goods sold or produced on the premises or an occupant thereof, but not including any sign sold or rented to an outside party.

"Sign on a Wall" shall mean a sign closely attached throughout to and facing with that wall, or on a window or door therein.

"Lot" shall mean a plot of ground containing and devoted to the purposes of a building, or laid out to contain a building, with all required open spaces; or a larger tract of unbuilt, undivided land under one ownership.

Section 4. General Restrictions. No person, firm, association or corporation shall be permitted or allowed to erect, display or maintain any Billboard or other outdoor advertising device, not exempted by Section 2 hereof, except those specified in paragraphs (a) (b) (c) (d) and (e) of this section.

(a) In districts not of a residential or rural character, any lawful sign on or attached to a wall of a building or any lawful

ground or roof sign or signboard no part of which extends over 15 ft. above the part of the ground or roof on which it stands.

(b) In a residential or rural district, any lawful accessory sign or signs not exceeding five square feet in aggregate area on any one building or lot; or any lawful sign, or signs advertising only the sale or rental of the premises, not exceeding a total area of ten square feet; or, on the premises of any public building, or of any farm, garden, tree-nursery or forest, any lawful accessory signs not exceeding all together 15 sq ft. in area within the limits of said premises; or any lawful accessory signs on the front wall of any building occupied by a non-conforming business.

(c) Any lawful sign not exceeding 32 sq. ft. in area displayed by the town, or any sign displayed by the United States, the state or the county, relative to government business.

(d) At any boundary line of the town a lawful sign not exceeding five square feet in area indicating the meetings of any civic organization located therein.

(e) On property owned or principally occupied by a religious, civic or charitable organization, association of war veterans or the like, any lawful accessory sign displayed by written permission of the Selectmen and approval of the inspector of buildings if any, for a limited period not exceeding 60 days.

Section 5. Set-backs. No advertising sign or signboard shall be permitted or allowed to be so located as to obstruct a view between any points on connecting streets within 50 feet of a corner of the rights of way; or to obstruct any door, window or fire-escape on a building; or, if on a roof, to be set nearer than one half its height to the wall thereof on a street front; or in a residential district, to extend more than six inches nearer to any boundary of the lot or premises on which it is located than it would be lawful to maintain a building, except as provided in paragraph (d) of Section 4.

Section 6. Prohibitions. Except signs exempted under Section 2, no person, firm, association or corporation shall be permitted or allowed to erect, display or maintain any billboard or other outdoor advertising device in any district.

(a) Except the owner or a tenant occupant of the premises where it is located, or a party holding written permission from either to display the device for a limited period, which party's name shall be conspicuously displayed thereon;

(b) Upon any rock tree fence or pole;

(c) Within 100 feet of any church, public building, monument or memorial, or within 300 feet of any public park, playground, or public reservation, if within view from any portion thereof;

except that this paragraph shall not apply to accessory signs on the walls of buildings;

(d) If it contains any obscene, indecent or immoral matter;

(e) Unless all parts and attachments and the ground about the base thereof are kept in neat and safe condition.

Section 7. Administration. No advertising device for which a permit from any state authority is required shall be erected, displayed or maintained in the town until five days after a permit therefor, or a true copy thereof, has been filed with the Town Clerk. Whenever notice of an application for such a permit is received by the Town Clerk, he shall immediately transmit it to the Inspector of Buildings or other officer, if any, charged with the administration of this by-law. Such officer, or in the lack of such officer, the Town Clerk, shall thereupon make an examination of the case and, as promptly as possible within 30 days of the receipt of the application by the Town Clerk, shall send written notice to the state authority to whom the application is addressed, stating whether or not the proposed advertising device would violate any provision of this by-law, and, if so, what provision. Like notice shall be sent also to the applicant and to the owner or tenant of the proposed location of the device.

At least 25 days before an outdoor advertising device not requiring a permit from any state authority and not exempted under section 2 shall be erected or displayed in the town, a description thereof and of its proposed location shall be filed with the town clerk, after which the procedure shall be the same as prescribed in the preceding paragraph in the case of an application for a state permit, except that notice whether or not the device would violate any provision of the law shall be sent, within 20 days after receipt of the description, only to the party filing the same and to the owner or tenant of the proposed location.

Section 8. Penalties and Enforcement. Whoever violates any provisions of Sections 4, 5 or 6 hereof, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$100, and whoever after final conviction for such violation unlawfully displays such outdoor advertising device for 20 days shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$500.

The Selectmen or any officer charged with the enforcement of this by-law shall cause any such violator to be prosecuted; and shall notify the state regulatory authority of Outdoor Advertising of any and all violations of lawful state regulations.

Any town officer or any interested party may petition the Superior Court in equity to enjoin the erection or maintenance of any outdoor advertising device erected or maintained in violation of any

provision of this by-law. The Town officials shall have the same right and power to cause the removal of any outdoor advertising device as of any structure or building maintained in violation of a by law.

Section 9. If any provision of this by-law is declared unconstitutional or illegal by any Court, the validity of the remaining provisions shall not be affected thereby.

Section 10. All regulations for outdoor advertising devices heretofore adopted by the town and in force at the time of the adoption of the foregoing sections are hereby repealed.

And you are directed to have 1,000 copies of this warrant printed, and to serve the same by posting up attested copies in at least ten public places in the Town seven days at least, before the time for holding said meeting, and by causing an attested copy to be published in some newspaper in the Town, the publication to be not less than three days before said meeting.

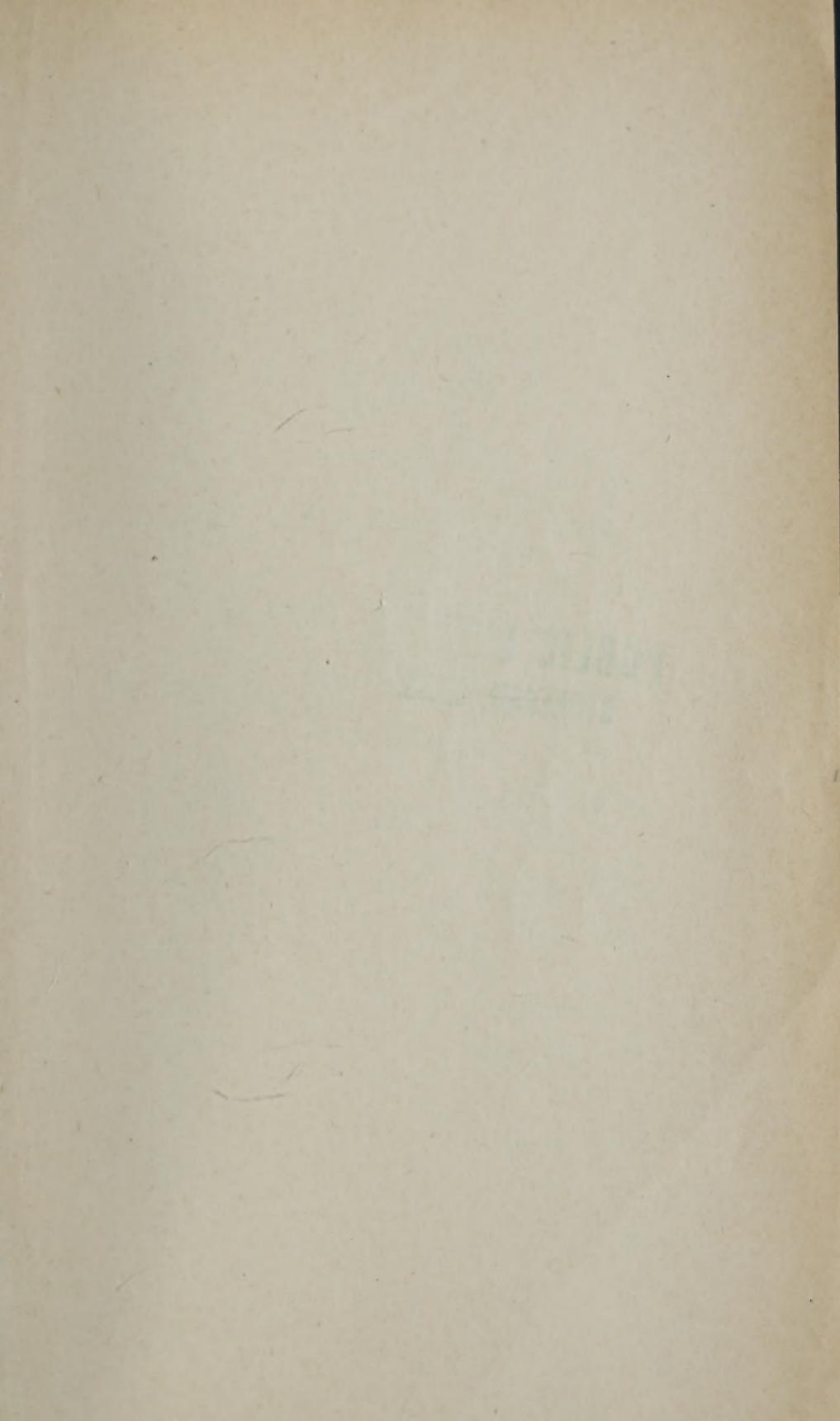
The remaining copies you are to have at the place and time of meeting as aforesaid for distribution.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting as aforesaid.

Given under our hands this eleventh day of February in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thriy-six.

EVERETT C. HUNT,
HARRY R. DOCKHAM,
THOMAS E. CAHILL,
Selectmen of Stoneham.

A true copy attest: J. Clarence Nelson, Constable.



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